O. K. SAUCE

Served in the best places

WEATHER FORECAST:—E. WINDS, MODERATE; CLOUDY, SOME LIGHT RAIN PROBABLE LATER.

Hongkong Daily Press.

Registered as a Newspaper at the General Post Office in the United Kingdom.

香港西報 ESTABLISHED 1857

15-19 Marina House, Queen's Road Central. G.P.O. Box No. 1

SUNGLASSES

WITHOUT WINDOW GLASS AS LENSES may be purchased cheaply from the firm with the reputation of many years behind it.

Optically perfect goggles $5.— at

Lazarus OPTICIAN

No. 25182 號二拾捌佰壹仟伍萬二第 HONGKONG, TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1939. 日陸拾月伍年玖拾叁佰玖千壹英 Price Single Copy: 10 Cents. Per Month: $3.00.

JAPANESE INTERFERENCE IN KULANGSU

ADMINISTRATION WILL NOT BE TOLERATED

Gravity Of Situation Is Fully Recognized

LANDING OF BRITISH BLUEJACKETS URGED

LONDON, May 15 (Reuter)—Although there is no comment, the newspapers give full prominence to the Japanese doings on Kulangsu. The gravity of the situation is fully recognized both in official and business circles, especially as the thin end of the wedge in a similar action is more important in foreign settlements and concessions elsewhere if the Japanese army succeeds in enforcing claims in Kulangsu unresisted.

Official quarters are still awaiting consular and naval reports from Amoy but it is unequivocally stated that any attempt by the Japanese to forcibly interfere in the administration of Kulangsu cannot be tolerated.

BRITISH PROTEST

LONDON, May 15 (BWS)—Sir Robert Craigie, British Ambassador in Tokyo, will make a protest to the Japanese Government against the forcible interference with the International administration of the Settlement at Kulangsu, Amoy, by Japanese troops which landed at the end of last week.

Japanese troops have made many arrests and are searching people in the streets unwarrantably. The right of search and arrest is the prerogative of the administration of the International Settlement.

BONNET BACK IN PARIS

The French Foreign Minister and Madame Bonnet, after their short visit to England, returned on Sunday by air to Paris where they were met by the British Ambassador. The main object of M. Bonnet's visit was to attend the luncheon on Saturday of the Alliance Francaise at Southampton but opportunity was taken to come on to London, where at a dinner at the French Embassy, he met some leading Foreign Office officials.—(BWS).

Although the Japanese right to land marines on Kulangsu to protect their own interests cannot be disputed the same right equally belongs to other nations.

Reuter understands that the Cabinet is taking keen interest in the Far East and will probably consider Kulangsu at the weekly meeting on Wednesday.

Members of the House of Commons China Committee are expected to raise the question in the House and to urge the landing of British bluejackets on Kulangsu in order not to allow any Japanese attempt to monopolize policing the settlement to go uncontested.

It is taken for granted that the American naval authorities will readily do the same.

DEMANDS CONFIRMED

SHANGHAI, May 15 (Reuter)—A Japanese naval spokesman at this evening's press conference confirmed the presentation of the Japanese demands to the Kulangsu Municipal Council. He said that the report carried by the "Nichi Nichi" "appears to be correct."

The spokesman declared that Japanese naval aircraft yesterday bombed Ningpo and Shaohsing, famous wine-making centre near Hangchow.

SUCCESSFUL CHINESE ATTACK IN SOUTH HONAN: LULL ON NORTH BORDER

NANYANG, HONAN, May 15 (Central)—The recapture of Tangho, important South Honan town, on the morning of May 13, is reported here.

Tangho was lost to the Japanese on May 12, when a mixed force of 2,000 enemy infantry and mounted men stormed the town after a quick thrust from Sinyeh. Determined to re-take the strategic city, Chinese forces were rushed to engage the enemy force in fierce battle throughout Friday evening and Saturday morning, finally dislodging the Japanese.

The Japanese forces, breaking through the Chinese cordon on the morning of May 13, lost large numbers of their men and left quantities of ammunition behind. Following the recapture of Tangho, Chinese forces followed the Japanese on their retreat to Hsiatun, a small town southwest of Tangho. Normal conditions have returned to Tangho.

"STALEMATE REPORTED

The military situation in South Honan, which took a grave turn following the successive loss of Sinyeh and Tangho on May 11 and 12, has greatly improved. A stalemate is now reported on the entire front extending from Sinyeh eastward to Tungpei, on the North Hupeh border.

Sinyen, west of Tangho, is cleared of Japanese forces, while complete quiet reigns south of the town. Forty miles south-west of Sinyeh, Japanese bombers raided Laohokow on the east bank of the Han River in north Hupeh yesterday morning, but caused little damage of military value.

JAPANESE REVERSE

SIAN, May 15 (Central)—A Japanese combined force of infantry, cavalry, and artillery driving northwestward to Liuchiafuan from Hungtuni, north of Linfen in south Shansi, recently suffered a severe reverse from the Chinese defenders.

Following a brief encounter in the vicinity of Liocniayoan, the Chinese, owing to numerical inferiority, withdrew.

Reinforced later, they launched a counter-offensive and drove the Japanese away. Part of the Japanese were ambushed on the way during their retreat, suffering further losses.

GUERILLA ACTIVITES

SHIUHING, May 15 (Central)—Increasingly daring strokes by guerilla forces are reported during the weekend along both the Sunwui-Hokshan and Sunwui-Hoiping highways, which have been turned into a maelstrom of activities by these mobile units.

ROOSEVELT PREPARED TO ISSUE ANOTHER PEACE APPEAL

NEW YORK, May 15 (Reuter)—The "New York Times" reports that it is informed from Washington that President Roosevelt is prepared to issue another peace appeal at an opportune moment, or if a new critical situation develops in Europe.

Creation Of Effective Peace Front

MOSCOW, May 15 (Reuter)—Approval of the Anglo-Turkish agreement is expressed in the Government newspaper "Izvestia" which declares that Anglo-Turkish mutual assistance agreement, which is being prepared, is a step towards the creation of an effective peace front and a link in a chain which is the only effective means of preventing the spread of aggression.

Owing to her strategic importance, the paper continues, Turkey has long been the objective of usurpatory appetites of aggressive countries.

Turkey acutely felt the danger and this accelerated the favourable results of Anglo-Turkish negotiations.

In further comment, "Izvestia" declares, "It must be noted that Turkey had to consider intimidation by aggressors who were striving to prevent her joining the front of Powers resisting aggression. In this connection one must recall she did not ask the advice of the "Diplomatische Korrespondenz" which recommended Turkey not to negotiate with the democratic countries hinting at bad consequences for her should she do so.

"This advice received a suitable rebuff from the Turkish press and public opinion which declared that Turkey would not tolerate outside interference in her foreign policy.

"The Soviet has always welcomed every effort at organizing real defence for the cause of peace. With all the greater satisfaction, therefore, the Soviet appreciates the steps in this direction taken by Turkey with whom she is on terms of friendship.

"This friendship has recently found expression in the consultations between the two Governments which established the existence of a community of views on the present international situation and the need to strive for even greater solidarity between Turkey and the U.S.S.R. in the interests of peace.

"Public opinion in the Soviet as well that of all sincere well-wishers of peace will regard the conclusion of the agreement between Turkey and Britain as a contribution to the cause of peace which the Soviet Union has always consistently defended."

SOVIET REPLY TO BRITAIN

The Soviet reply to the British Government's proposals was handed to the British Ambassador in Moscow, Sir William Seeds, yesterday morning. The contents were not disclosed, says a Reuter message from Moscow.

Prince Paul, Regent of Yugoslavia, and Princess Olga, left Florence on Sunday night for Belgrade after a visit to Italy, says a Reuter message from Rome.

RIVAL GANGS IN COMBAT AT ABERDEEN

Man Killed: Many Hurt

Inquiries by the Criminal Investigation Department are proceeding into the circumstances of a fight, reported from Aberdeen district yesterday afternoon, in which a man was killed and several others were injured. All the victims are Chinese.

Details were lacking last night a brief police report disclosing that a fight had occurred in Aplichau, in the Aberdeen district, during the afternoon. The report added that one man had been injured fatally while others had sustained injuries necessitating their removal to the hospital for treatment.

It was further revealed that the body of the dead man was found in the water. It was recovered by the police and subsequently removed to the Public Mortuary.

Though full inquiries have not been completed it is learned that about two o'clock yesterday afternoon a fight broke out between two rival gangs a dispute having arisen over grasscutting.

The combatants used poles and picks and in the course of the fight, it is reported, no less than eighteen men were hurt.

A report was made to the police at Aberdeen and subsequently C.I.D. officers, under Chief Detective Inspector M. Murphy, proceeded to the scene.

STATEMENT ON PALESTINE POLICY

LONDON, May 15 (BWS)—The long awaited statement on the Government's Palestine policy will be made in the House of Commons this week, probably to-morrow, and it will be followed almost immediately by the publication of the White Paper. The Government will seek early assent of Parliament to the policy and a debate in the Commons on Friday is forecast in some quarters.

When Parliamentary approval has been secured the next step will be to present the policy to the League, under whose authority the British mandate is exercised, for agreement of the League Council.

GUIDE TO THE NEWS

PAGE 2.—Tennis League opens. Sunday's Rifle shoot at Kowloon. Davis Cup. Golf Club competitions.
PAGE 3.—Radio programmes. The Services. London Gazette.
PAGE 5.—Cinemas. Crossword puzzle. Diary of local events.
PAGE 6.—Weddings at Registry. Newsettes. Menu.
PAGE 7.—Gift of ambulance to Chinese Red Cross. Explosion of empty drum. German plane at Kai Tak. Confidence trick.
Page 8.—Leading article: Subdued Italy. Society wedding at Cathedral. Asiatic cholera among the Chinese.
Page 10.—Ambulance Brigade inspection. Post Office notice.
Pages 11 and 12.—Finance and commerce.
Page 13.—Giant panda fights in air liner. Singapore in 1938. Atlantic air service
Pages 14 and 15.—Shipping news and directory.

PICTURE TAKEN AT THE KOWLOON CITY RIFLE RANGES on Sunday afternoon when the "Bisley" meeting of the Hongkong Rifle Association concluded. Seated, on the extreme left, is Mr. J. Hargreaves, hon. treasurer; sixth from left is Major R. D. Walker, M.C., president of the H.K. R.A.; and on his immediate left is Petty Officer Swan, winner of H.E. the Governor's prize; H.E. the Governor (Sir Geoffry Northcote); and H.E. the General Officer Commanding, Major-General A. E. Grasett. Seated fourth from the right is Major G. P. Murray, hon. secretary of the Association, and on his right is the Hon. Mr. C. G. Perdue, acting Commissioner of Police. (Photo by Leica).

ANNUAL INSPECTION OF ST. JOHN AMBULANCE

Governor On Valuable Assistance Rendered During Border Trouble

"I was able to see with my own eyes the prompt and valuable assistance which men and women members of the Hongkong branch of St. John Ambulance Brigade rendered," said His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffry Northcote, K.C.M.G., Knight of Grace, Venerable Order of St. John of Jerusalem, when he referred, in the course of his speech at the annual inspection of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, to the activities of Japanese planes in November last year, on the Colony border.

The inspection was held at the Royal Naval Recreation Ground, Causeway Bay, yesterday. There was a smart turnout of nearly 1,000 officers and men and 500 nurses and two small detachments of cadets.

His Excellency was accompanied by Mr. Fung Ping-fan, Hon. A.D.C. Also present were H.E. the General Officer Commanding (Major-Gen. A. E. Grasett) and Mrs. Grasett, Hon. Dr. P. S. Selwyn-Clarke (Director of Medical Services), Wing-Comdr. A. H. Steel-Perkins (A.R.P. Officer), Surg.-Capt. G. V. Hobbs, Col. J. T. Simson, Dr. D. J. Valentine (Deputy Director of Medical Services), Mr. Fok Chi-ting and many others.

Following the inspection of the Corps by the Governor, Mr. Fok Chi-ting presented an ambulance to the Association on whose behalf His Excellency accepted the gift.

An interesting demonstration of work was given by members of the Brigade following which the Governor presented medals and trophies.

GOVERNOR'S SPEECH

Addressing the Brigade, His Excellency said: This is the second occasion on which it has been my duty—a duty which at the same time gives me a great deal of pleasure—to inspect your ranks and to take the opportunity which the occasion affords of making a few comments upon the Brigade's activities and progress of the year 1938.

Before I start on that task, I should like to congratulate you warmly to-day upon the excellent turn-out which we see here this afternoon. Both in numbers and smartness there is an improvement on last year's parade, good though that was, and I congratulate you warmly on making such a fine showing.

Continued on Page 10

£466,000 For Imperial Defence

LONDON, May 15 (BWS)—A resolution is to be moved at a meeting of the Federated Malay States Council on May 18 to the effect that the Council gives hearty support to the wishes of Their Highnesses the Rulers that 4,000,000 Straits dollars (£466,000) should be contributed towards the cost of imperial defence.

Last month a contribution of £1,000,000 from the Colony of the Straits Settlement for the same purpose was announced.

In 1926 the Federated Malay States gave £2,000,000 towards the cost of the Singapore naval base and two years ago £410,000 towards the purchase of service aircraft.

In all British Malaya has, during the past twenty years, contributed £20,000,000 towards defence.

BUSINESS MAN'S BODY FOUND IN JUNGLE

SINGAPORE, May 15 (Reuter)—The body of Mr. Lyttleton Hay, a business man, who has been missing after leaving Kuala Lumpur in a plane a few days ago, was found in dense jungles after his machine had crashed on the mountain side.

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2.23/32d.
T.T. ON NEW YORK: 28. 11/16.

From Our Own Correspondent

London, May 15.

London silver prices to-day were up 1/16 as follows:—

	May 13	May 15
Spot	20-1/16	20-1/8
Forward	19-7/8	19-15/16

KING, QUEEN DUE IN QUEBEC ON WEDNESDAY

LONDON, May 15 (Reuter)—The Empress of Australia, with the King and Queen on board, is expected to arrive at Quebec on Wednesday morning. The liner, after passing the ice floes is speeding towards Canada.

The streets of Quebec, Ontario and Ottawa are filled with sightseers and all available accommodation is reported to be booked or filled.

SKILLED WORKERS FOR NEW ZEALAND

WELLINGTON, May 15 (Reuter)—The New Zealand Government is making arrangements for 500 skilled workmen to enter New Zealand as settlers. One hundred will leave England this month.

DEFENCE LOAN

The New Zealand Government is raising an internal loan of £4,500,000 for public works and capital expenditure on defence. The loan will bear interest at four per cent.

More Japanese Soldiers Captured By Chinese

Further captures of Japanese soldiers by Chinese guerillas, in and near Canton city, are reported by the Yungyun correspondent of the "Continental News Agency" in a message received yesterday.

It is stated that on the night of May 12, Chinese irregulars, operating behind the Japanese lines in Punyu, captured a Japanese captain and four Chinese spies employed by the Japanese.

The capture was made after a short encounter between the guerillas and the Japanese troops.

On May 13 at noon, the Chinese captured two Japanese sergeants at Laufapiu. One of the sergeants jumped into the river and was drowned while the other was taken to Shiukwan.

The guerillas responsible for the captures belong to the 2nd Guerilla Corps. All the captives are now in the Fourth Route Army headquarters at Shiukwan. The Fourth Route Army is commanded by Gen. Chang Fa-kwei.

The remaining stages of the Military Training Bill will be completed in the House of Commons this week. Consideration of the Bill in committee was continued yesterday and the report stage and the third reading will be taken on Thursday. (BWS).

In the World of Sports

TENNIS LEAGUE SEASON OPENS WITH SURPRISES

Cricket Club, Recreio Score Wins In "A" Division

Two somewhat unexpected results in the "A" Division programme featured the opening of the 1939 league tennis season yesterday, Hongkong Cricket Club beating Kowloon Cricket Club by seven sets to two and Recreio accounting for South China by 5½ to 3½.

Weather conditions around 5 p.m. were rather indifferent and the Chinese Recreation Club—University match was postponed.

Notwithstanding the fact that the visitors fielded a depleted side, the Cricket Club rather sprang a surprise on Kowloon in allowing them only two sets. W. Duff and L. Goldman were in great form and conceded only two games in their three sets.

Scores follow:—

H.K.C.C. BEAT K.C.C. 7-2

Playing at home, Hongkong Cricket Club surprised Kowloon Cricket Club, beating them by seven sets to two. Scores:—

W. A. H. Duff and L. Goldman (H.K.C.C.)
beat E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett 6-2
beat A. E. P. Guest and A. Crawford 6-2
beat S. A. Gray and F. Grose 6-2

W. Sander and T. A. Pearce (H.K.C.C.)
lost to Fincher and Burnett 5-7
beat Guest and Crawford 6-1
beat Gray and Grose 6-3

H. J. Armstrong and S. M. Garrard (H.K.C.C.)
lost to Fincher and Burnett 3-6
beat Guest and Crawford 6-1
beat Gray and Grose 6-1

Recreio, playing on their own courts, defeated South China A.A. by 5½ sets to 3½. Scores:

A. V. Remedios and A. M. Rodrigues (Recreio)
drew with C. K. Chan and Bick Szeto 6-6
drew with Tennie Kwok and K. F. Liu 6-6
beat A. Chan and F. N. Wong 6-1

A. V. Gosario and J. J. Remedios (Recreio)
drew with Chan and Szeto 6-6
lost to Kwok and Liu 3-6
beat Chan and Wong 6-1

H. A. Barros and C. A. Barretto (Recreio)
lost to Chan and Szeto 3-6
beat Kwok and Liu 6-4
beat Chan and Wong 6-3

ARMY CRICKET TITLE

The match for the Army inter-unit cricket championship between the Royal Engineers and Royal Artillery commenced yesterday at Sookunpoo, and will be concluded to-morrow.

The scores at present stand as follows: 1st Innings: Royal Engineers 161, Royal Artillery 159; 2nd Innings: Royal Engineers 19 for 5 wkts. Sgt. Land, of the Royal Engineers, was top-scorer with 60 runs.

FRENCH SOCCER

PARIS, May 15 (Reuter)—The Racing Club de Paris won the French Football Cup beating Olympique Lillois by three goals to one.

ADVERTISEMENT

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Fifth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 27 and Monday, 29th May, 1939 (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 18th May, 1939.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.
386

KOWLOON C.C. TENNIS TEAMS

Nominations For Various Division

Kowloon Cricket Club teams for the various divisions of the lawn tennis league have been selected as follows:—

"A" Division.—E. C. Fincher and G. C. Burnett, A. E. P. Guest and A. Crawford, D. J. N. Anderson and S. A. Gray.

"B" Division.—(1) F. Grose and A. V. White, B. Soltau and W. M. Gittins, N. A. E. Mackay (captain) and R. T. Broadbridge. (2) F. A. Broadbridge (captain) and D. Hung, H. Turner and A. L. Fisher, E. Eymard and R. E. Lee.

"D" Division.—W. Gillard (captain) and A. Crabb, K. Broch and H. Burson, A. C. Perry and T. A. Madar.

Mixed Doubles.—(1) E. C. Fincher and Mrs. Burnett, G. C. Burnett (captain) and Mrs Sweeney, A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Clark. (2) S. A. Gray (captain) and Mrs. Smeby, D. J. N. Anderson and Miss Harker, A. V. White and Mrs. Knight. Reserves, Mrs. Eymard and Miss V. Bradbury.

CIVIL SERVICE SIDES FOR THIS WEEK

Civil Service Cricket Club teams in the Tennis League this week are as follows:—

To-day v. S.C.A.A. ("B")
I. Agafuroff and B. Agafuroff; J. A. Bendall and W. J. Skinner; S. C. Peak and W. H. E. Colledge.

Thursday v. R.P.S.C. ("C")
N. J. Bebbington and B. Baxter; L. G. Buckle and A. J. Peaker; A. M. J. Wright and E. F. A. Morgan.

REST TO MEET SOUTH CHINA

Club Invites 17 Players

The following have been invited by South China Athletic Association to represent the Rest in a friendly charity match against their "A" team on Saturday at Caroline Hill at 4.30 p.m.

Dickenson, Hau Yung-sang, Sheehan, Freshwater, Cooper, Hsu King-sing, Emberson, Thorburn, Hosshack, A. V. Gosano, Hau Ching-to, Leonard, Bright, Honniball, Hussain, Gomes and Lee Tak-kee.

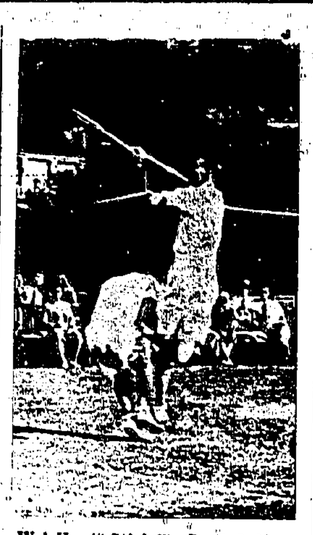
As the Hongkong Football Association and the different clubs have no call on the players during the close season South China had to invite the above players through their last clubs.

When all acceptances or refusals, have been received the team will be chosen.

LEE AND TOUR

Strenuous efforts are being made to persuade Lee Wai-tong to take part in the southern tour as Captain of the S.C.A.A. side, but he has not yet decided whether or not he can spare the time.

Naturally, both the Club and the Chinese public devoutly hope he will be able to make it.



W.A.H. ("Stick") Duff brings off a smash during the tennis exhibition at the H.K.C.C. in aid of the B.F.R.D.C. on Saturday. Duff, partnered by L. Goldman, defeated the Tsui brothers, 6-2.

H.K. GOLF CLUB COMPETITIONS

The following are the results of competitions played at the Hongkong Golf Club:

Golden Jubilee Competition at Fanling, played on May 13 and 14: Major A. S. Johnstone (7), J. P. Tanworth (8) and H. Harrison (15) all tied with 2 up and will play off. There were 70 entries.

Golden Jubilee Competition at Happy Valley, played on May 12, 13 and 14: 1. H. Smith (10) 4 up; 2. W. Woodward (12) one down. There were 22 entries.

Stableford Competition at Fanling, played on May 13 and 14: T. F. R. Waters and W. N. A. Smalley 25 plus 13—38, tie and divide. There were 30 entries.

H. Harrison 28 plus 13—41 and Major Johnstone 34 plus 6—40 win prizes on the same cards in Jubilee Competition.

Adamson Cup: May Qualifying Competition, played at Happy Valley: H. Smith (10) 75-10 — 65. There were 19 entries.

GOLF "MIRACLE"

Two brothers performed a "miracle" golfing feat on the Crichel Park course near Wimborne, Dorset, when they both holed tee shots in one at the same hole.

For 30 years the Vaughan brothers had prefaced their regular games of golf together with "Perhaps one of us will do it to-day."

BASKETBALL REPLAY

Following a protest lodged by the South China Athletic Association Basketball Team with regard to the alleged faulty refereeing of one of the Umpires in the final match of the Basketball League against the "Sing Tao Jih Pao" Basketball combination last week, the Basketball Association has ordered the match to be replayed.

The re-play will take place this evening at 6.30 p.m., and will decide the Championship.

... Dave Walker at the diamond for the Hongkong Baseball Club with Nip Lum, of the Chinese R. C., behind the plate. The umpire is David Leonard. Picture taken during a League match on Saturday afternoon at Caroline Hill.

SUNDAY'S RIFLE SHOOT AT KOWLOON: LEADING SCORES

Rifle Shooting at Kowloon City on Sunday, May 14: The following are the leading scores of S.R. (b) and S.R. (a) Classes:

S.R. (B) CLASS

Competitors	H'cap	200 yds.	600 yds.	Totals
C.P.O. F. J. Davey	2	33	32	65N
Sgt. R. J. Heap	Scratch	34	31	65
E.A. H. J. Templeton	"	31	32	63
Mr. T. J. Boulton	1	30	33	63
Condr. J. R. Hill	2	32	31	63
P/Sgt. P. H. Thong	3	33	30	63H
P/Sgt. L. C. Pennell	3	30	32	62
S/Insp. C. C. Chau	Scratch	30	32	62
Sgt. G. Perkins	3	29	33	62
L/Cpl. V. M. Hammond	1	31	31	62
Insp. A. L. Hopkins	2	33	29	62
Cpl. F. Cole	2	32	29	61
Cadet G. J. P. Carey	1	31	30	61
Sgt. F. E. Russell	1	31	30	61
C/Sgt. P. Hale	Scratch	31	30	61
P.O. C. Clark	"	33	28	61
S/Lt. B. M. Bateman	2	31	29	60
P/Sgt. K. C. Wong	4	32	28	60
Sgt. B. F. Rushman	2	33	27	60
P.S.M. R. Milne	4	28	32	60
B/m. W. Kifford	3	29	31	60
Sgt. V. Cooper	Scratch	31	29	60
Capt. F. Sale	7	28	30	58H
S/Lt. I. C. MacDonald	7	28	28	56H
Sgt. Chanchal Singh	12	27	23	50H

S.R. (A) CLASS

Competitors	H'cap	200 yds.	600 yds.	Totals
Insp. Ali Mohamed	Scratch	30	32	62N
Mr. W. K. Gillman	2	29	30	59
L/Cpl. J. M. Xavier	7	28	30	58
Spr. W. Albone	5	27	29	56
L/Sgt. J. D. Remedios	8	27	29	56
P.C. Charan Singh	5	28	28	56
E.R.A. D. Roberts	14	30	24	54H
L/Sgt. N. L. Pan	8	28	27	55
L/Cpl. A. d'Aquino	5	32	22	54
Sgt. H. V. J. Ogden	11	24	29	53
P/Sgt. C. Wong	11	25	28	53
A.C.1 W. J. Gash	11	26	27	53
A.C. C. W. Denham	11	27	26	53
Dmr. R. Smith	12	28	25	53H
L.A.C. T. H. Storey	13	26	25	51

N—Denotes winner of the "Nett" spoon.
H—Denotes winner of the "Handicap" spoon.
Note:—Winner of (N) or (H) spoon has his handicap reduced by one point.

DAVIS CUP TENNIS

Yugoslavia Creates Surprise

BUDAPEST, May 15 (T/Ocean)—Yugoslavia, leading 2-1 in the Davis Cup Tennis matches played here, was the surprise of the day. The Yugoslav ace player was defeated by the young Hungarian player Asboth in four sets.

The match had begun on Saturday, but was discontinued because of bad light, when the score stood at 7-5, 4-6, 6-5 in Asboth's favour.

After resumption on Sunday, Asboth completed the unfinished set winning it by 7-5, and then won the fourth set 11-9 following a dramatic battle with Puncec, with spectacular playing.

The Yugoslav doubles pair, with Puncec and Mitic, had little trouble in trouncing Asboth and Gabory 6-1, 4-6, 6-2, 7-5.

ITALY GETS W.O.

NAPLES, May 15 (T/Ocean)—Having actually won the second round of the Davis Cup matches being played here against Monaco by winning the doubles on Saturday, Italy was accorded the victory without playing.

Italy now enters the third round and will meet the victor of the Yugoslav-Hungarian matches.

NOT PLAYING

LONDON, May 15 (T/Ocean)—Japan will not participate in the Davis Cup tournament this year, according to a report received yesterday from Tokyo. The reason for this decision is said to be the fact that Japan's two best tennis players are serving in the Navy.

SPORTING FIXTURES

TO-DAY

BADMINTON.—Y. M. C. A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.

CRICKET. — Finals Large Units Knockout Competition, Royal Engineers v. Royal Artillery, Sookunpoo, 11 a.m.

SWIMMING. — Mixed Swimming in Y.M.C.A. Swimming Pool, 6.30 p.m

TENNIS.—"B" Division, Craigengower v. Kowloon C.C. "B," Recreio v. Chinese R.C., Civil Service v. South China, H.K.C.C. v. Kowloon Indians.

TO-MORROW

FOOTBALL.—Kotewall Cup final replay, South China v. Navy, Caroline Hill, 5 p.m.

H.K. CYCLING CLUB

Social Outings Popular

Social outings of the Hongkong Cycling Club enjoyed greater popularity during the past week. On Wednesday evening the Club visited Aberdeen and indulged in a bathing interlude at Deep Water Bay en route, concluding a pleasurable spin at 9 p.m.

Saturday's run to Clear Water Bay was a delightful one, though the route is one of the Colony's hilliest. The party reached Hayeung at 3 p.m., and returned at 5.45 p.m. following negotiation of the rock-strewn road beyond with its many landslides.

On Sunday the Club had a day completely free from racing interests owing to withdrawal of O'Doherty's scheduled attempt on the 40 miles Class "A" figures. The venue was Lokmachou for which place the Club left Kowloon at 9.15 a.m. via Sanhue and Unlong.

Following refreshments at the former village, the party split up, part returning direct to Kowloon, and the remainder continuing to the Shumchun River at Lokmachou, which they reached at 1 p.m. The return trip was made over the same route, the party again halting at Sanhue.

ISLAND CIRCUIT

During training on Friday a member of the Club succeeded in covering the difficult Island Circuit inside the Class "D" standard of 1¾ hours in spite of delays in the latter half caused by punctures. Fourteen miles were covered in 57 mins., this including Lyemun Hill and the City roads before any trouble was experienced.

The current week's programme includes runs to Sheko on Wednesday (Meet at Methodist Church, Hennessy Road, Wantsai at 6 p.m.) and Tailamchung on Saturday (Alhambra Theatre, Kowloon, 2 p.m.), whilst Sunday's outing will be in the nature of a Clue Hunt commencing from the Kowloon rendezvous at 8.30 a.m. Non-members are extended a cordial welcome.

TENNIS.—"C" Division, Craigengower v. Central British, Chinese R.C. v. Kowloon Tong, Recreio v. South China, Radio v. Indian R.C.

Down Through THE YEARS

EXTRA QUALITY HAS BEEN TRADITIONAL

Old Quaker Whiskey is constantly moving into the world's markets, making new friends wherever it is sold. Extra quality that comes in every bottle is the thing that makes and holds loyal friendships to Old Quaker, America's most popular whiskey.

OLD QUAKER

THE FRIENDLY AMERICAN WHISKEY

Sole Agents:

GANDE, PRICE & CO., LTD.

Tel. No. 20135 HONG KONG

SPEED EASTWARD FROM SEATTLE IN "SOLID COMFORT"

ON THE COMPLETELY AIR CONDITIONED

Olympian

You'll enjoy its smooth, gliding swiftness, over the shortest route of longest electrification... its luxurious accommodations and friendly service... its sumptuous meals... its inviting beds ... the freshness of its air-conditioned equipment.

You'll meet discriminating travelers who prefer to travel Milwaukee... you'll thrill to magnificent scenery. Include the journey between Seattle and Chicago on The Olympian as a part of your itinerary.

For further information inquire of your nearest steamship office, any Travel Bureau, or

ERIC MARSHALL, Agent
902 Government St., Victoria, B.C.
F. J. CALKINS, General Agent
773 Granville St., Vancouver, B.C.
R. F. RANDALL, Dist. Passenger Agent
661 Market St., San Francisco, Cal.
J. F. BAHL, Asst. Gen. Passenger Agent
Seattle, Washington
GEO. B. HAYNES, Pass. Traffic Mgr.
Chicago, Ill.

CHICAGO MILWAUKEE ST. PAUL PACIFIC

THE MILWAUKEE ROAD

2055

Be Free From Crippling LEG SORES

ZAM-BUK Heals Without A Scar.

As soon as you smear Zam-Buk on crippling leg sores, abscesses or ulcers, quick, antiseptic healing starts. This is because the valuable herbal oils in Zam-Buk are readily absorbed into the tissues and get to the root of the trouble. Zam-Buk soothes pain, reduces inflammation and dries up unpleasant discharges. When it has thoroughly cleansed the diseased places Zam-Buk heals without a scar. Doctors and nurses everywhere use and recommend Zam-Buk.

Use ZAM-BUK Herbal OINTMENT

Radio Programmes

HONGKONG

Z B W — On Wavelengths of 355 metres (845 k.c's) 31.49 metres (9.52 megacycles).

MISS SI KUI MA (PIANO)
FROM THE STUDIO
"The Magic Flute" Act 2

12.00 to 12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Compositions of Liszt including his Rhapsody No. 2.

Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2—Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski. Concert Study In D Flat Major—Egon Petri (Piano). Consolation (No. 3)—Nathan Milstein (Violin) with Leopold Mittmann at the Piano. "Mefisto Waltz No. 1—Serge Koussevitsky and the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Ballads.

Soul of Mine (Barns); Bless This House (Brahe)—Essie Ackland (Contralto) with Organ. Tramping Through The Countryside (Allison); The Drums Are On Parade (Neville)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra.

1.15 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.30 p.m. Dance Music.

Slow Fox-Trot—I Nearly Let Love Go Slipping Through My Fingers; Fox-Trot—Got To Dance My Way To Heaven—Billy Cotton and His Band. Fox-Trot—Oh! You Sweet Thing—Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

1.40 p.m. Relay of the Rotary Tiffin Speech from the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

Speaker: Rotarian Sir Henry Pollock. Subject: "More Legal Anecdotes."

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6.00 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

(a) When my Dream Boat comes in, (b) Darktown Strutters Ball, (c) I'll Dream To-night, (d) Sheik of Araby. 6.14 Record: Piano-Time Melodies—Intro: China Boy; You're in Kentucky Sure as You're Born; Sheik of Araby; Japanese Sandman; Bye Bye Blues; Who's Sorry Now—Piano Duet by Baldwin and Howard. With String Bass and Drums. 6.21 (a) Sixty Seconds Got Together, (b) Waltz Medley Part 1, (c) Waltz Medley Part 2, (d) Some of these days. 6.35 Records: I Wait For You (film 'Evensong' — Spoliansky) — Mischa Spoliansky (Piano). A Bouquet For Cole Porter—Intro: What is this thing called love?; Night and Day; I'm in Love Again; You've Got That Thing; Let's Do It; Love for Sale—Arthur Young (Piano) and the Youngsters. With Vocal Chorus.

6.45 p.m. London Relay—Scenes from The Tragedies of William Shakespeare, John Gielgud in 'Hamlet.'

Characters: Claudius, Kind of Denmark. Rosencrantz; Guildenstern, Courtiers. Gertrude, Queen of Denmark, and mother of Hamlet. Polonius, Lord Chamberlain, Ophelia, daughter of Polonius, Hamlet, son of the late, and nephew to the present King. Horatio, friend of Hamlet; Laertes, son of Podonius; Portinbras, prince of Norway; Players, Lords and Ladies, Ghost of Hamlet's Father Scene: Denmark — Production by John Richmond.

7.30 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.32 p.m. Percy Heming (Baritone) in a Light Orchestral Programme.

Serenade (For Frederick Delius on his Sixtieth Birthday—Warlock)—The Constant Lambert String Orchestra cond. by Constant Lambert. Fairings; Come To The Fair ("Songs of the Fair")—Easthope Martin); Jock The Piddler; The Ballad-Mongen ("Songs of the Fair"—Easthope Martin)—Percy Heming (Baritone) with Orchestra. Down The Mall (Belton)—Philip Green & His Orchestra. Joggin' Along The Highway (Samuel); The Devout Lover (White)—Percy Heming (Baritone) with Piano.

8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. New Dance Music.

Waltzes — Wooden Shoes (film 'Sweethearts'); Sweethearts (from the film)—Primo Scala's Accordion Band. Fox-Trots—Tell Me With Your Kisses; Love Doesn't Grow On Trees (film 'A Song is Born')—Gene Krupa and His Orchestra.

8.15 p.m. London Relay—Cricket—M.C.C. v. West Indies.

A commentary during the third day's play by Howard Marshall from Lord's Cricket Ground, London

8.30 p.m. Studio—Piano Recital by Miss Si Kui Ma.

1. Prelude in B Flat Minor (Bach)
2. Adagio from Sonata I D Minor (Beethoven)
3. Variations, Op. 12, on a French Air (Chopin).

8.50 p.m. Mendelssohn—Symphony No. 4 ("Italian") In A Major.

Sir Hamilton Harty conducting The Halle Orchestra.

9.15 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—"Food for Thought."

Short talks on matters of topical interest.

9.45 p.m. London Relay—Sports News and Market Notes.

9.50 p.m. Mozart's "The Magic Flute" Act II.

Singers in order of appearance: Strionz; Fabbry; Grossmann; Scheppan; Marherr; Berglund; Husch; Roswaenge; Tessmer; Berger; Bellke; Spletter; Lemnitz; and Chorus with the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham.

11.00 p.m. Close down.

SHORT WAVE

DAVENTRY

Calls		Wavelength
G.S.G.		17.79b.c. (16.86m.)
G.S.B.		9.51m.c. (31.55m.)
G.S.H.		21.47m.c. (31.97m.)
G.S.O.		15.18m.c. (19.79m.)
Trans. I	(G.S.O., G.S.G., G.S.B.)	
Trans. II	(G.S.H., G.S.G., G.S.F.)	
Trans. III	(G.S.H., G.S.G., G.S.B.)	

AUSTRALIA
Call Sign: VIR
Wave Length, 31.34 metres
Power, 1 Kilowatt

HOLLAND-INDIA
Call letters: PHI. Wavelengths 16.88m. & 25.57m.; Frequencies 1777okc. & 1773okc.

H.K. Time
a.m.
10.00—Broadcast to Schools—"Music Lessons for Junior Classes." (A)
10.20—Wheat and Grain Report (A).
10.40—"At Home and Abroad" (A).
11.05—Luncheon Music (A).
11.30—Afternoon Musical Programme (A).

p.m.
1.00—"Under Big Ben." Talk by Howard Marshall (D1).
1.15—Ronald Gourley, in Songs at the Paino (D1).
1.30—"The Alchemists," by Dan Aitken (D1).
2.00—Old Scots Airs and Dances, with the B.B.C. Scottish Orchestra (D1).
2.30—News (D1).
2.45—Edgar Peto, at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ, with Ronald Hill, baritone (D1).
3.15—Sports News and Market Notes (D1).
3.30—Young People's Session (A).
4.15—Dinner Music (A).
5.25—Commentary On News (A)
5.40—"The News Behnds the News." (A).
6.00—Celebrity Recordings (A).
6.10—Recital by Lotte Lehmann, soprano (A).
6.45—Scenes from the Tragedies of William Shakespear's "Hamlet." (D2).
7.15—Programme by the Sydney Studio Symphony Orchestra (A).
7.30—The Broadhurst Septet (D2).
8.15—Cricket: M.C.C. v West Indies (D2); Jim Davidson's A.B.C. Dance Band (A).
8.30—Jack Hylton and his Band (D2).
8.50—Jim Davidson's A.B.C. Dance Band (A).
9.00—Recorded Feature (A).
9.15—News (D2).
9.20—Summary of the day's news (A).
9.30—"Food for Thought." (D2).
9.45—Sports News and Market Notes (D2).
10.00—Fred Hartley and his Sextet, with Brian Lawrance, baritone (D3).
10.35—"The Club of Queer Trades." (D3).
11.00—Music Hall, with the B.B.C. Variety Orchestra (D3).
12.00—News (D3).

a.m.
12.15—Organ Recital by William McKie (D3).
12.45—Cricket: M.C.C. v. West Indies (D3).
1.00—Sports News and Market Notes (D3).

CHUNGKING NEWS BROADCAST

A regular series of short-wave broadcasts in the English and other foreign languages have been inaugurated by the Central Broadcasting Administration, Chungking

Of special interest to Far East listeners are the news broadcasts at 10 a.m. (H.K. time) each day on 25.21 metres (11.9 megacycles).

There are daily broadcasts from 4.15 a.m. to 6.30 a.m. to European countries, including Great Britain, France, Italy and Germany on 25.51 metres and 31.58 metres; to America etween 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m. in Chinese and English on 16.85 metres and 19.75 metres; to East and North China and Siberia between 5.30 p.m. and 7.10 p.m. on 25.51 metres and 31.58 metres in Chinese; to Japan between 7.15 p.m. and 7.55 p.m. on 25.21 metres and 31.58 metres in Japanese; to South China and the South Seas between 8.10 p.m. and 10.30 p.m. on 25.21 metres and 31.58 metres, including a news bulletin in English at 9 p.m. (10 p.m. local time); and to Soviet Russia between 11 p.m. and 11.30 p.m. on 25.21 metres and 31.58 metres in Russian.

KING GEORGE V'S LAST MESSAGE TO CHILDREN

A correspondent writes drawing attention to the last message of King George V to the children of the British Empire which, he says, has a very great bearing on the events of to-day. The message was:—

I ask you to remember that in the days to come you will be the citizens of a great Empire. As you grow up always keep this thought before you: and when the time comes be ready and proud to give your Country the service of your work, your mind, and your heart.—Christmas, 1935.

Chinese witnesses took the oath by smashing saucers and swearing. "If I do not tell the truth may my soul be cracked like this saucer," at Bristol, when Yeap Pui Pump was accused of murdering Ah Ling.

THE SERVICES

LONDON GAZETTE

FRIDAY, APRIL 28
WAR OFFICE, APRIL 28
REGULAR ARMY

Maj.-Gen. H. F. Salt, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., retires on ret. pay (April 29); Col. M. E. Mascall, D.S.O., O.B.E., retires on ret. pay (April 28), and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.

The follg. to be Cols.:—Lt.-Col. A. H. Williams, M.C., Indian Army (Jan. 25), with seny. Oct. 31, 1937; Lt.-Col. R. M. M. Lockhart, M.C., Indian Army (Feb. 1), with seny. Jan. 1, 1936; Lt.-Col. E. O. Wheeler, M.C., from R.E. (March 30), with seny. Dec. 55, 1936.

COMMANDS AND STAFF

The follg. relinquishes his appt.:—Maj. C. S. Clarke, M.C., Camerons, as G.S.O. 3rd Grade (Feb 27).

The follg. appts are made:—Maj. C. S. Clarke, M.C., Camerons, to be Mil. Attache (G.S.O. 2nd Grade), Belgrade (March 16), and is granted the local rank of Lt.-Col. while so empld. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette of April 11); Capt. R. W. Jelf, R.A., to be G.S.O. 3rd Grade (March 30).

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

R. Tank R.—Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) E. J. Sharp, M.M., to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) (April 29).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

Capt. R. G. Hooper, M.C., to be resid. to the estabt. (April 5).

The follg. to be secd.:—Capt. J. E. F. Linton (April 6); Lt. G. V. de C. O'Grady (The O'Grady) (April 28).

Field Branch.—Lt.-Col. W. A. J. Simpson, D.S.O., M.C., on completion of four years' serv. as Regtl. Lt.-Col. is placed on the h.p. list (April 28); Maj. W. D. Morgan, D.S.O., M.C., to be Lt.-Col. (April 28).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

Suptg. Clerk C. H. Patrick to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) (April 29).

INFANTRY

R. North'd. Fus.—Capt. Capt. W. P. Jones is restd. to the estabt. (April 5).

Gloster R.—Maj. E. M. B. Gilmore is restd. to the estabt. (Jan. 8). (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette of March 21).

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

Condr. W. Barber to be Lt. (O.E.O 3rd Cl.) (April 11).

UNATTACHED LIST FOR INDIAN ARMY

The follg. to be Sec. Lts. (April 22):—J. A. Cannell, R. A. Roach, D W. A. Brookes, B N. Steers.

ESTABLISHMENTS

Capt. W. A. Robinson, M.D., R.A.M.C., to be Instr. and Medical Off. (April 19); Capt. J. R. M. Cape, R.A.O.C., relinquishes the appt. of Asst. Inspr. (April 11).

MEMORANDA

Lt.-Col. G. S. Oxley, M.C., h.p., late K.R.R.C., retires on ret. pay (April 29); C. A. Wigham, M.C., Cheshire R. relinquishes the appt. of G.S.O. 2nd Grade (March 12).

ROYAL NAVY

DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF STAFF COLLEGE

Captain A. J. L. Phillips has been appointed to the R.N. College, Greenwich, and on June 1 will succeed to the post of Deputy Director of the Staff College in place of Captain F. H. Pegram.

Captain Phillips recently relinquished command of the Iron Duke, gunnery training ship. He qualified as a staff officer in 1921, and in 1936 attended the course at the Imperial Defence College.

During the War he served as sub-lieutenant and lieutenant in the battleships Hercules, Albemarle, and Barham up to February, 1918, when he was appointed to specialize in gunnery. Among the ships in which he was gunnery officer were the Hood, during the world cruise of 1923-24, and the Rodney, to which he was appointed before her completion.

As a commander he commanded the destroyer Xesper in the Home Fleet, was staff officer (operations) and squadron gunnery officer with the Home Fleet destroyer flotillas, and served in the Ordnance Department and the Training and Staff Duties Division at the Admiralty.

RETURN OF H.M.S. NORFOLK

The cruiser Norfolk, which is being relieved as flagship of the East Indies Station by the new cruiser Gloucester, is to return home to refit, arriving towards the end of the month. Since her ship's company, who joined at Plymouth in October, 1937, have not finished their term of foreign service, an exchange will be made between them and the ship's company of H.M.S. Devonshire, of the 1st Cruiser Squadron, Mediterranean Fleet, who joined that ship in November, 1936, and who will return to England in the Norfolk.

ENGINEER FOR THE HOOD

Commander (E) R. T. Grogan will join the battle cruiser Hood, at present under fit at Portsmouth, for duty as engineer officer in succession to Commander (E) C. P. Berthon, who has been appointed for a course at the R.N. College, Greenwich.

GREENWICH HOSPITAL PENSION

Paymaster Captain A. E. B. Hoaken, R.N., retd., has been awarded a Greenwich Hospital pension of £50 a year, in the vacancy created by the death of Paymaster Captain A. Greenwood, R.N., retd., on March 11.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointment are made by the Admiralty:—

Engr. Cdr.—J. C. Flint, to Iron Duke (May 13).

Cdrs. (E).—R. W. Parker, to Drake; F. B. C. Smith, to Manchester (May 9).

Lt.-Cdrs.—H. H. Caddy (KS/Ldr., R.A.F.), to President for duty inside Admiralty (April 29); R. H. R. Moodie, to Cornwall (May 2); L. de Villers, to Victory for Tactical crse. (May 8).

Lts.—P. C. Chorley, to Victory for f.f.d. at Lee-on-Solent (May 1); M. O'B. Fitzgerald, to Ramillies (May 2).

Act. Sub-Lts. (A).—E. S. Woodford, E. B. Kershaw, M. P. White, J. H. Radclift, A. W. B. Drayson, H. N. C. Hearn, S. G. J. Appleby, F. K. A. Low, G. P. Ritchie, J. Gaillard, T. W. Harrington, to Victory for crse. at Gosport; A. J. I. Temple-West, A. C. Willkinson, D. D. White, to Victory for crse. at Lee-on-Solent (May 1); H. W. G. pearce, to Courageous (May 8).

Mids (A).—L. B. Cater, H. M. Ellis, D. H. Dammer, G. R. Hampden, A. J. Daniels, F. J. D. Sparke, I. M. MacLachan, R. C. Eborn, F. C. Saunders, C. S. F. Hogg, H. D. Mourilyan, J. B. Kiddell, to Victory for crse. at Gosport (May 1); J. D. W. Barr, G. W. Brokensha, P. T. Bethell, to Courageous (May 8).

Mids. (E). — K. B. Clarke, C. G. Proctor, P. E. Spencer, J. A. Pleydell, H. R. M. S. Ferguson, J. R. Llewellyn A H. Little, T. D. Short, D. H. Russell, R. Harty, W. G. Lockyer, H. S. Aust, H. F. Masintosh, J. S. Clarke, G. Morgan, K. S. J. Dunlop, H. C. P. F. Witherden, J. F. Bishop, B. Macbeth, E. B. Good, K. R. M. Sandford, E. M. Halley, C. R. Griffin, H. D. Nixon, L. D. Dymoke, J. B. Rae, G. O. G. Weall, G. M. Whale, C. G. L. Reid, P. W. Norwood, S. N. Haigh, H. E. Gardam, P. J. Nops, T. E. T. Favell, to President for course at R.N.C., Greenwich (May 1).

Cd. Engr.—E. G. Blofield, to Victoria and Albert (May 3).

Wt. Engr.—H. F. Chaplin, to Titania (May 4).

PROMOTIONS

Lts.—J. M. Villers, J. A. Elwin, W. F. E. Hussey, R. M. Aubrey, A. Kennett, J. M. S. Cox, to rank of Lt.-Cdr. (seny. May 1); R. S. Howlett, to rank of Lt.-Cdr. (seny. May 9).

Lt. (E) Retd.—V. W. Harvey, to rank of Lt.-Cdr. (E), retd. (seny. May 3).

Cadet.—C. R. Barrett (not C. R. Bancit, as previously announced) to rank of Midshipman (seny. May 1).

ROYAL AIR FORCE

CIVILIAN WIRELESS OPERATORS

Vacancies for civilian wireless operators and teleprinter operators on authorized establishments are to be filled, states a new Air Ministry order, by officers commanding units, but the approval of the Ministry is to be obtained before appointments are made.

These posts are reserved for ex-Service men, preference being given to ex-airmen. A waiting list is maintained at the Air Ministry. With effect from January 1, the scale of pay for operators of 21 and over is to be 60s. a week, rising by increments of 3s. to 75s. a week.

Posts for direction-finding operators are to be reserved, as far as possible, for existing civilian wireless operators, and no appointments, discharges, or transfers of members of this grade are to be made without Air Ministry authority. With effect from September 1, 1938, the scale of pay for D.F. operators of 21 and over is to be from 67s. to 112s. a week, with an efficiency bar at 71s.

Gibraltar Ready For Any Emergency

AIR RAID SHELTERS

Food & Munitions For Six Months

The 1st Bn. Welsh Guards disembarked recently from the troop ship Dorsetshire, 9,975 tons. Up to steep incline of the Europa-road the troops marched to their new quarters to the cheerful piping of the "Lambeth Walk."

Far below, the finishing touches were being put to the new lines of anti-tank wire on the road to the Spanish frontier town of La Linea. Land mines have also been laid there.

CALM THOROUGHNESS

Gibraltar is preparing to defend itself, should the need arise, with calm and far-seeing thoroughness. It is being assumed that in the event of war enemy howitzers in the Spanish and Moroccan hills, supported by aircraft, would soon nullify Gibraltar's primary use as a naval base.

But, whatever happens, the garrison would not be dislodged. It would cling to the rock and prevent warships of any other Power from using the harbour.

Since the arrival last year of the new Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Gen. Sir Edmund Ironside, everything possible has been done to anticipate such a contingency. Within a few days the rock will be ready to withstand a modern siege as firmly as it has withstood the less ambitious sieges of the past.

WATER SUPPLIES

The number and quality of the armaments installed there during recent weeks are kept secret.

There is enough food and ammunition laid by to last Gibraltar's 25,000 civilians and soldiers for at least six months.

To ensure a supply of fresh water a tenth tank is now being hewn out of the interior of the rock.

One of the main problems engaging the Governor's attention is the provision of suitable shelter for the garrison and population in the event of bombardment or bombing.

EXCELLENT SHELTERS

As every tourist knows, the Upper Rock has been honeycombed since the 18th century with long subterranean galleries. These would form excellent shelters, were they not too far away for the people to reach them quickly.

The Governor has accordingly ordered the excavation of 10 deep and spacious caverns. Each is to contain ample accommodation for 1,500 people, and the 10 are so situated that no one in Gibraltar will be more than two minutes' walk or run from the nearest refuge.

To avoid congestion there will be five entrances to each shelter. Water is to be laid on.

SYDNEY SECOND "SINGAPORE"

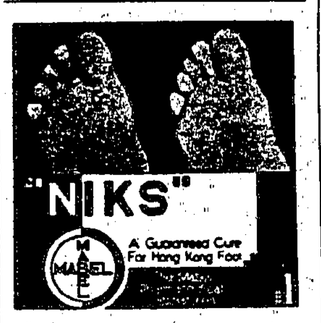
LONDON, May 15 (Reuter)—Sir Leopold Saville, who was responsible for the design and construction of the Naval Base and Dockyard in Singapore, is joining the liner Orontes at Naples on May 25 for Australia to discuss with Australian Government officials the proposed building of a new dry dock.

There have been reports that a second "Singapore" might be constructed in Sydney.

SAY Gordon's ...and know what you're drinking!

NO COLOURING MATTER
NO INJURIOUS INGREDIENTS

能可用耐油漆牀乾駱
PAINTS, ENAMELS, VARNISHES & SPRAY LACQUERS
DURABLE & ECONOMICAL
MANUFACTURED BY
THE NATIONAL LACQUER & PAINT PRODUCTS CO., LTD.
KING'S ROAD, HONG KONG. TEL. 31681-2
國民油漆廠有限公司出品



NEW ARRIVAL
STALEY'S CREAM CORN FLOUR.
UNEXCELLED FOR SWEETS, PUDDINGS AND ALL COOKING PURPOSES.
1 LB. PKT — 26 CENTS.
GUARANTEED FACTORY FRESH.
CALL AT
HUNG CHEONG
Tel. 57108. 66, Nathan Road. Kowloon.

Only the finest cream is selected by strict Government Tests for Australian butter.

Pasteurized and subject to every test for scrupulous cleanliness and purity, no more wholesome food could be on your table for every meal.

A valuable source of vitamins A and D, and of those elements which strengthen your children's resistance against colds, eye troubles and rickets.

A wholesome health-giving food.

ASK ALWAYS FOR "AUSTRALIAN BUTTER"

Obtainable at all compradore stores.

Shipping—Baggage Transfer
Furniture Removal & Storage

Experienced Packing of Crockery & Furniture
Apply to:—
THE GOOD EARTH GODOWN CO.,
150 Canton Road, Kowloon
Phone:—57567

Hongkong Daily Press Classified Advertisements

Brooke Bond
THE BETTER TEA
OBTAINABLE FROM ALL COMPRADORES

COFFEE DEALER

JUST ARRIVED
MANGA INGO, (Mango in Oil), Peixe Esmagal, (Tamarind Fish), Boiled Sausages, Pure Olive Oil, Pork Vindaloo, Green Olives. Small shipment only. Please order early. SHING HING STORE, 36A, Hankow Road, Kowloon. Telephone 59766.

LADIES DRESS-MAKER

Marlene
(EXPERT DRESS-MAKER)
Room 906 (9th Floor)
Bank of East Asia Building
Des Voeux Road
Designer
K. F. WONG
Tel. 21229

Sold everywhere.
Sole Distributors:—
UNITED TRADERS
York Building. Hongkong.

TAILORS

THE BUTTERICK.
(Expert Dress-maker)
Also ready-made dresses for sale.
16 Wyndham Street.
Tel. 23615. Hong Kong.

TAILOR
LAM SHIU SHEK
334, NATHAN ROAD, KOWLOON
TEL. 57712
林少石
三九道三十四號
電話

CANDY STORE

CANDY STORE the best to buy fine sweets, our large assortment English and American good Chocolates and Candies. Non-Local Made.
N. A. TYE & BROS.,
THE BRITISH-AMERICAN CANDY STORE,
15, Pottinger Street.

POSITION VACANT

Applications are invited for three posts of Female Inspector S. C. A. Office. A knowledge of both English and Chinese, is essential. Salary $1,200 a year rising by annual increments of $100 to $1,800.
Candidates should send written applications to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs on or before May 31st, 1939, stating their qualifications and knowledge of dialects in addition to Cantonese.
1324

WANTED immediately stenotypist, knowledge of French essential. Apply Messageries Maritimes, 3, Ice House Street, Queen's Bldg.

WANTED KNOWN

READ ANY 14 of your favourite Magazines, Periodicals or Fictions at $1.50 per month. Delivered to your Home or Office. We can deliver also to any address in Kowloon. Write Associate News Agency, P.O. Box 1441 or Phone 24286.

LADIES AND GENTS. TAILORS

RELIABLE TAILORING
We have just received a large range of cloths for SUMMER SEASON. Satisfaction Guaranteed.
THE JUBILEE SILK STORE
Specialists in Gents' Wear, Suits, shirts, Pyjamas and Underwear.
31 Nathan Road, Kowloon. Telephone No. 50451
Corner Peking Road.

FIRST CLASS
LADIES & GENTS TAILORS
CLEARANCE SALE
Ten pieces Long Fur Coats at $60.00
Fox at $20.00 and $40.00
Short Coats . . . . . at $32.00
during our Two Week Sale
Inspection Cordially Invited.
LONG KEE SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.
31, NATHAN ROAD
(Peking Road Corner) KOWLOON. Tel. 50451

Wear WHITE!
It's SMART as a WHIP
It's so very young LOOKING
It's Fashion-Right for NOW—
Call on us and let us demonstrate to you.
THE SHANGHAI SUN FAT COMPANY.
EXPERT LADIES' TAILORS
No. 30, Nathan Road, Kowloon.
Telephone No. 56846.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS

司公器電亞新
THE NEW ASIA CO.
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS
And
HOUSE WIRING CONTRACTORS
12, Chiu Lung St. Tel. 34010.

VENU CHAN
The Tailor
SPECIALIST
GENT'S AND LADIES TAILORING
ALSO FOOT WEAR
47 Peking Road, Kowloon. Tel. 58879

GOING ON HOME LEAVE?
We cordially invite your inspection. Special reductions, from 20% to 30%
from May 1st to May 20th
Wardrobe trunks, cabin trunks, leather suit cases, fibre wardrobes, fibre suit cases, and all kinds of leather wares.
Call at
SHANGHAI CENTURY CO.
39 QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL
TEL. 20287.

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE

SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTANCY AND COMMERCE
1, Middle Road, Kowloon.
RAPID OFFICE TRAINING 9-month Course graduating December, 1939. Also (3-month Typewriting Course). Those enrolling within April pay $12.00 monthly for 8 months only, or $80.00 full course. (Typewriting $25.00 full course). Both courses lead to London Diplomas. Phone 50855 for "Degrees in Commerce."

HOTELS

MARBLE HALL (and Annexe Private Hotel), 34, Granville and 103, Austin Roads, Kowloon, tennis courts. Beautiful garden. Rooms and suites, with private bathrooms. All modern conveniences. Apply proprietress, 103, Austin Road. Phone 50233 and 34, Granville Road. Phone 59433.

DANCE
TEA DANCE EVERY DAY
5 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.
75 cents per cover
METROPOLE HOTEL Latest Swing Band
Best Liquors Served at Moderate Prices.

Do not MISS your OPPORTUNITY while in HONGKONG
COME and SEE the WONDERS that
NEPTUNE has made.
NEPTUNE PRODUCTS COMPANY
20 Queen's Road Central
Kayamally Bldg.
Tel. 30862

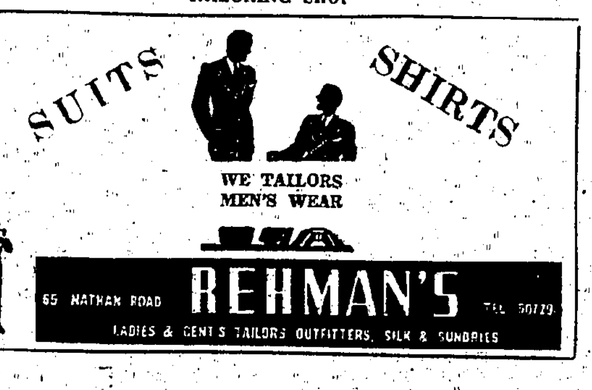
MOTORING SCHOOL

CAN YOU DRIVE A CAR?
ABILITY TO DRIVE is not only an ASSET but a NECESSITY in these times. Come to us for EFFICIENT and INEXPENSIVE TUITION.
THE HONGKONG SCHOOL OF MOTORING, LTD.
737, Nathan Road, Kowloon. Tel. 50800. China Bldg. (1st Fl.) Hongkong. Tel. 20882

HOME SERVICE

Worried by WHITE ANTS
Plan their Eradication—Consult
Thomas Cowan & Co. Queen's Building. Phone 30722.
Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Agents in: Hong Kong—Canton—Swatow—Foochow Phone 30311.
Inspection & Estimates Free.

TAILORING SHOP



RADIO SERVICE

ZENITH RADIOS for 1939
EASTERN RADIO SERVICE LABORATORY
completely equipped with Radio Laboratory Apparatus—Radio Analyzing—Radio Repairing
228 Nathan Road,
Kowloon, Hongkong.

FOR SALE
1939 POSTAGE STAMP CATALOGUES
from
Stanley Gibbons Ltd., London
Stamps of the World $12.80
Simplified .....$ 5.00
Regent Stamp Co., Ltd., London
Empire Postage Stamp
Volumn I—1840 to 1930 .....$ 5.00
Volumn II—1931 to Sept. 1938 $ 2.00
Whitfield King & Co., Ipswick
Stamps of the world .....$ 5.00
Scott Publications Inc., New York
Stamps of the World $10.00
Yvert & Tellier—Champion, Paris
Stamps of the World .....$ 9.00
GRACA & CO.
Established 1896
No. 10, Wyndham St. Hong Kong

ENTRUST YOUR
TRANSPORT
TO
UNITED DELIVERY CO., LTD.
Hongkong Office—20906.
Hongkong Depots—30939, 30608, 27672.
Kowloon Depots—58556, 58557, 58985.

Shumchun Rural Welfare Centre

We need Rice and Vegetable Seeds
Fertiliser—Farm Implements—Animals
for the Refugee Farmers to return to
THE GOOD EARTH
Please send all monetary donations to:
Hon. Treasurer: Mr. J. M. Tan,
C/o Wong Tan & Co.,
Alexandra Buildings,
Des Vœux Road,
Hong Kong.
All contributions in kind to:
Hon. Secretary: Mr. K. S. Lo,
C/o Eu Tong Sen Ltd.,
109, Queen's Road,
Hong Kong.
Tel. 21988.

ENGRAVERS

FEI FEI & CO.
Photo Engravers
18, Cochrane Street.
Telephone No. 22224.

TUITION

BOOK-KEEPING & ACCOUNTANCY, PITMAN SHORTHAND, TYPING, BUSINESS ENGLISH, ETC. Apply
THE INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION,
Wang Hing Bldg., 10, Queen's Rd., Central. Tel. 26488.

SILK STORES

KING'S SILK STORE
New Shipments Just Arrived of PURE SILK CHIFFON STOCKINGS "CHARMANT" at $2.00 to $2.50 pair also silk brocade for curtain at $1.00 for 3 yds.
78, Queen's Rd. Tel. 32340.

AUCTIONEERS

GREATEST COLLECTION OF BARGAINS IN TOWN!
at
LAMMERT'S AUCTION ROOM
Lammert Brothers—2, Connaught Road Central.
Telephone No. 20234.

WINTER CLOTHES
Women's, Men's & Children's
WANTED URGENTLY
HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY
Monday & Thursday
ICE HOUSE STREET
10 to 12 Noon.

QUEEN'S
DAILY AT 2.30·5.15·7.20 & 9.30 · TEL. 31453
LAST 2 DAYS • TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW
NOW
THE STORY OF VERNON AND IRENE CASTLE
FRED ASTAIRE GINGER ROGERS
DRAMATIC WILDFIRE! Tender! Gay! Tragic! Great! True life romance of the world's greatest Dancers! Fred and Ginger RELIVE IT!..
Dazzling cavalcade of dance and melody!.. Heroic yesterday!..
EDNA MAY OLIVER · WALTER BRENNAN · LEW FIELDS · ETIENNE GIRARDOT · JANET BEECHER
RKO RADIO Picture
THURSDAY — GLADYS SWARTHOUT & LLOYD NOLAN in "AMBUSH"
Paramount Picture

4 SHOWS DAILY 2.30-5.15 7.15-9.30
TAKE ANY TRAM OR HAPPY VALLEY BUS
ORIENTAL THEATRE
FLEMING ROAD WANCHAI TEL. 28473
LAST 4 TIMES TO-DAY
EXCITING STORY OF STRANGE MEN AND EXOTIC WOMEN!
The most sinister and intriguing chapter from the vivid history of sensational crime
DANGER IN THE SHADOW OF MYSTERIOUS ALGIERS!
The swift drama of an adventurer's last stand.
ALGIERS
starring CHARLES BOYER
in the Walter Wanger production with Sigrid Gurie and Hedy Lamarr
Released thru United Artists
SPECIAL FOR TOMORROW ONLY! RETURN ENGAGEMENT
THE SCREEN'S FUNNIEST COMEDIANS!
The best of all their laugh riots.
Stan Laurel · Oliver Hardy
THE Bohemian Girl
with ANTONIO MORENO · JACQUELINE WELLS
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture
$2,000,000 COMEDY SCREEN CLASSIC!
STARTING THURSDAY "YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU"
WINNER OF THE 1938 GOLD TROPHY!
• MATINEES: 20c.-30c • EVENINGS: 20c.-30c.-50c.-70c. •

DAILY AT 2.30 5.20 7.20 9.20
STAR
HAMOW ROAD KOWLOON TEL. 57795
• TODAY ONLY •
What a story, what romance... the gayest street in all the world!
WALTER WANGER Presents
52nd STREET
with a score of stars including IAN HUNTER · LEO CARRILLO · PAT PATERSON · ZASU PITTS and KENNY BAKER
Released thru United Artists
TOMORROW — JOAN BENNETT · HENRY FONDA in "I MET MY LOVE AGAIN"
United Artists Picture

TAKE ANY TRAM or HAPPY VALLEY BUS.
CATHAY
DAILY AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.20, & 9.30 P.M.
MATINEES:—20c., 30c., 40c. EVENINGS:—20c., 30c., 50c., 70c., 80c.
• TO-DAY & TO-MORROW—2 DAYS ONLY! •
THE DRAMATIC AND THRILLING TALE OF CHINA'S ONLY WOMAN RULER.
Hsin Hwa Motion Picture Co. presents The First Great Chinese Historical Picture
EMPRESS WU CHEH TIEN
Starring VIOLET KOO and A Cast of Thousands
WITH ENGLISH SUBTITLES
THU. FRI. "NANCY STEELE IS MISSING!" Victor McLaglen · Walter Connolly
Begins Sat. An MGM Riot: "BLOCK-HEAD" Laurel & Hardy's Last Picture Together

Today's Screenings

Hongkong

KING'S:
"Prison Without Bars"
QUEEN'S:
"The Story Of Vernon & Irene Castle"
ORIENTAL:
"Algiers"
CATHAY:
"Empress Wu Cheh Tien"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:
"Squadron Of Honour"
STAR:
"52nd Street"
MAJESTIC:
"Spring Madness"

Coming

KING'S:
"Hold That Kiss"
QUEEN'S:
"Ambush"
ORIENTAL:
"The Bohemian Girl"
"You Can't Take It With You"
CATHAY:
"Nancy Steele Is Missing"
ALHAMBRA:
"Ambush"
STAR:
"I Met My Love Again"
"The Awful Truth"
MAJESTIC:
"Stablemates"

"PRISON WITHOUT BARS" AT THE KING'S TO-DAY

Youth gets a fling in the new Korda picture, "Prison Without Bars," which opens at the King's Theatre to-day. Five of the leading players are twenty-one or under. They are Corinne Luchaire, Korda's 17-year-old French discovery; Glynis Johns, 15, who scored a big success as the squire's petulant daughter in "South Riding;" and Mary Morris, 21; Lorraine Clewes, 20; Sally Wisher, 18; each of whom is making her first screen appearance.

Corinne Luchaire, daughter of a well-known Paris journalist, was signed by Korda as the result of her performance in a French version of "Prison Without Bars."

Glynis Johns who revealed herself as a brilliant actress in "South Riding," has had considerable experience on the stage.

Mary Morris, a striking brunette, makes her screen debut in "Prison Without Bars," and as a result of her performance Korda has awarded her a long term contract.

Lorraine Clewes, a Birmingham girl, was given a screen test last year.

Sally Wisher, small, brunette, has only one professional stage appearance to her credit, at the Open Air Theatre last year.

All these girls have distinctive looks and personalities, and all play important parts.

INA CLAIRE DOESN'T WANT TO BE A STAR

INA CLAIRE HOPES HER FRIENDS OF THE THEATRE will not be disappointed because she has no yearnings for stardom in her return to the films.

Miss Claire, after several years of refusals, came back to motion pictures with one of the most unusual contracts.

She works for one year at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, then is given a year's holiday during alternate years to do as she pleases. This means that the alternate years will take her back to the stage.

$10,000 A WEEK

Deanna Durbin, the 16-year-old actress, earned $10,000 a week last year. Her income for 1938, as reported to the United States authorities, was approximately $120,000.

She has resumed her picture career, not in a leading role, but in support of Spencer Tracy and Hedy Lamrr in I Take this Woman.

"This, however—I hope—is only serving as a rehearsal for better things to come," Miss Claire explained. "But there is one thing I would like those friends who associate me with the stage to know. I did not come to Hollywood to set the place afire.

"I am old enough to know that I cannot become box-office in motion pictures. Even if it could be so, I would not want to be box-office. On the stage, I did that which made me most content. Although I may have been leading character in my plays, quite often the play itself and its theme overshadowed the individual players.

AWAY FROM PLOT

"You know, the trend of successful plays to-day is getting farther and farther away from plot. They have become psychological themes that lead the audiences into deep thinking, which plays of the past seldom did. Therefore, the character and what the character was thinking was far more important than the name of the player in lights on the theatre marquee.

"I hope to do in motion pictures what I did best on the stage, playing roles that I enjoy doing and know I can do. Such roles are not box-office. I shall be completely satisfied to leave the box-office roles to those with picture box-office names, while I tag along in interesting supporting roles. Whether they are illiterate roles or of the ultra-ritzy aristocracy does not matter to me."

LITTLE CHANGE

In her return to motion pictures after an absence of five years, Miss Claire has found little change in methods, but great improvement in equipment and story material.

"Before, it seemed to be the custom to film long scenes without interruption, as if they were complete stage plays," said Miss Claire. "Now I find the scenes more choppy—shorter 'takes' that strengthen interest in the pictures by the use of varied angle shots and the like.

"Another most noticeable change is the improvement in the microphones. To-day, I find myself not the least conscious of the 'mike's' presence. Before, it frightened me, darting at me like a snake and I was always playing to the 'mike' instead of the camera."

Clark Gable—Labourer!

Workmen were laying gas pipe to Clark Gable's new ranch, when a begrimed labourer appeared and insisted on supervising the job.

"Hey," he said, "that's not the way to couple up pipe."

He got down in the ditch and gave a demonstration. The workmen protested to the foreman, who wanted to know what the labourer thought he was doing.

"I've coupled 40,000 miles of pipe," he said. "This job isn't being done right."

After watching the labourer lay pipe for fifteen minutes, the foreman decided that he knew what he was doing.

"How'd you like to work for me, starting right now?" he asked.

"Sorry," grinned the labourer. "I have a job."

The labourer was Clark Gable, ex-pipe layer in the Oklahoma oil fields, now a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer star.

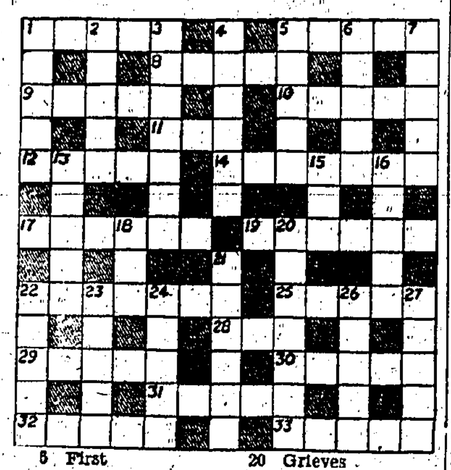
"SPRING MADNESS" AT MAJESTIC

Laughable though it may be to observe a youth in the double throes of love and financial embarrassment, it is a predicament that has its serious side. The economics that he learns at college are somehow less personal than those he rubs against in his search for a job after graduation.

This, in a general way, is the theme of "Spring Madness," which will be screened at the Majestic Theatre to-day. With splendid characterizations by Maureen O'Sullivan, Lew Ayres and others, and expert direction by S. Sylvan Simon, the new picture provides heart-warming entertainment.

Maureen O'Sullivan has one of her best roles as a New England college girl. Equal praise goes to Lew Ayres, portraying a harrassed young man of Harvard, who loves Miss O'Sullivan but comes to a realization that without a job he won't cut much of a figure as a husband.

CROSSWORD NO. 310



ACROSS
1 Bereaved woman (5)
5 Moat (5)
8 Raise up (5)
9 Angry (5)
10 Fights (5)
11 Organ of hearing (3)
12 Press unable (7)
14 Consumable (7)
17 Vent (6)
19 Threefold (6)
22 False believer (7)
25 Charm (5)
28 Coal product (3)
29 Ship's room (5)
30 Soil (5)
31 Spectre (5)
32 Melodies (5)
33 Of the sun (5)

DOWN
1 Card game (5)
2 Male bird (5)
3 Cajole (7)
4 Animosity (6)
5 First appearance (5)
6 Part of hand (6)
7 Hurry (5)
13 Bestir (5)
15 Beverage (3) derfoot (5)
16 Blossom (5)
18 Falsehood (3)
20 Grieves about (7)
21 Deed (6)
22 Literary drudges (5)
23 Bird (5)
24 Fire implements (5)
26 Month (5)
27 Upper air (5)

SOLUTION TO-MORROW

Solution No 309

ACROSS: 5, Straw. 8, Arteries. 9, Happy. 10, Derision. 11, Unite. 14, Wed. 16, Jocose. 17, Ignite. 18, Tap. 20, Steed. 24, Pastoral. 25, Minor. 26, Hopeless. 27, Beats.

DOWN: 1, Candy. 2, Stork. 3, Crash. 4, Denote. 6, Training. 7, Appetite. 12, Doctrine. 13, Foremost. 14, Wet. 15, Dip. 19, Amazon 21, Strew. 22, Brief. 23, Flask.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

ANNIVERSARIES and HOLIDAYS.—Rogation Day. St. John Nepomucen.

AUCTIONS.—Crown Lands, at District Office, Tai Po, 11.30 a.m.

CINEMAS.—(See Column 3 of this Page).

DANCES.—First Heats of the "Garden of the Moon" Dance Contest, in Roof Garden, Hongkong Hotel, 5 p.m.

LECTURES.—A.R.P., Modified Full Course, at United Services Recreation Club, Kowloon, 11 a.m.; at St. John's Cathedral Hall, for Hongkong firms, 5.30 p.m.; at La Salle College, 6 p.m.; Diocesan Junior Girls' School, 6 p.m.; Maryknoll Convent School, 4 p.m.; in Chinese, at Queen's College, 7 p.m.; Chinese Chamber of Commerce, 7 p.m.; Ta Tung School, Kak Hang Tsun Road, Kowloon, 7 p.m; Chinese Y.W.C.A. Bonham Road, 4.30 p.m.

MAILS.—(See Page 16).

MEETINGS.—Annual, of Victoria Diocesan Missionary Association, in St. Andrew's Hall, 6 p.m.; Rotary Meeting, Hongkong Hotel, 1 p.m.; Kowloon Chess Club, in Peninsula Hotel, 5.30 p.m.

MISCELLANEOUS.—St. Stephen's Girls' College Reunion of Alumnae, from 3 p.m.

MOON.—Chinese III Moon, 27th. Day.

RELIGIOUS.—Prayer and Fellowship Meeting at S. & S. House, 8.30 p.m.

SPORTS.—(See Page 2).

SUNRISE.—5.43 a.m. SUNSET.—6.55 p.m.

TIDES.—High at 06.48 and 18.43. Low at 00.14 and 13.10

KING'S
AIR-CONDITIONED THEATRE
SHOWING TODAY AT 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.30 P.M.
"A POWERFUL STORY HAS BEEN FAITHFULLY AND SKILFULLY REPRODUCED."—"Daily Telegraph."
LONDON FILMS PRESENTS ALEXANDER KORDA PRODUCTION
CORINNE LUCHAIRE AS SUZANNE
IN PRISON WITHOUT BARS
WITH EDNA BEST · BARRY K. BARNES
MARY MORRIS · LORAINE CLEWES
United Artists Release
Also LATEST COLOUR CARTOON "OLD MOTHER HUBBARD"
NEXT CHANGE M.G.M. Picture "HOLD THAT KISS" with Maureen O'Sullivan · Dennis O'Keefe · Mickey Rooney

ALHAMBRA
NATHAN RD, KOWLOON · DAILY AT 2.30-5.20-7.20 & 9.30 · TEL. 50656
• TODAY AND TOMORROW •
TERROR WHILE THE BUGLES CALL . . . ROMANCE WHILE THE DRUMS ROLL BY!
MURDER WHILE THE LEGION MARCHES!
SQUADRON OF HONOR
DON TERRY · MARY RUSSELL
Thurston Hall · Arthur Loft · Marc Lawrence
A COLUMBIA PICTURE
THURSDAY — "AMBUSH"
A Paramount Picture · Gladys Swarthout · Lloyd Nolan

MAJESTIC THEATRE
MATINEES, 20c.-30c. • EVENINGS 30c.-50c.-70c.
• TODAY AND TOMORROW •
HOW TO HOOK A MAN IN TEN RACY LESSONS!!!
SHE WOULD! HE WOULDN'T!
(But These Five Gorgeous College Gals Fixed That!)
Rowdily yours ..is this dipsy-do of college romances! Lew Ayres, hit star of "Holiday", and "Young Dr. Kildare", in his gayest, grandest love adventure!
SPRING MADNESS
Also News of The Day
Maureen O'SULLIVAN · LEW AYRES
Ruth HUSSEY · Burgess MEREDITH
Ann MORRISS · Joyce COMPTON
Screen Play and Produced by Edward Chodorov
Based on the Play "Spring Dance"
Directed by S. SYLVAN SIMON
A METRO-GOLDWYN-MAYER PICTURE
• THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY •
Thrills . . . Heart-Throbs . . . Roaring Laughter!
WALLACE BEERY · MICKEY ROONEY in "STABLEMATES"
A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

WOMEN'S PAGE

TRY THESE
EXCITING NEW SHADES
CLOVER
TULIP
THISTLE
LAUREL
OLD ROSE
HEATHER

NEW SHADES! A NEW POLISH!

Greet this season with one of the five gay new Cutex Nail Polish shades . . . Clover . . . Tulip . . . Thistle . . . Laurel . . . Heather. They're carefully designed to harmonize with the current favourites in fabric colours.

Important: All Cutex shades are now available in a new type of polish that wears days longer without chipping, peeling, or fading. It flows on to the nail smoothly and easily—leaving a jewel-like lustre on every fingertip.

CUTEX
Nail Polish

WEDDINGS AT REGISTRY

Three marriages took place at the Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday, with Mr. T. J. Gould, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, officiating.

Mr. Ma Man-hon, of the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Co., Ltd., was married to Miss Lo Sin-hing, of No. 103, Chun Yeung Street, Mongkok. The witnesses were Messrs. Lo Ying-lau and Ma Phuong-ngu.

Mr. Lo On-kwok, assistant manager of the Chee Yuen firm, was married to Miss Wong Wai-yuen, of No. 10 Mallory Street. The witnesses were Messrs. Yu Chung-kai and Leung Kai-fat.

Mr. Chiu Yat-keung, student, of No. 238 Lockhart Road, was married to Miss Yeung Man-ming, of No. 102 Prince Edward Road, Kowloon. The witnesses were Messrs. Chiu Wai-shan and Yeung Siu-cho.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

The marriage will take place on May 30 of Mr. Kwan Hok-lam, well-known solicitor of the firm of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist and son of the late Mr. Kwan King-shuen, banker, and Miss Woo Tak-hing, otherwise Miss Wu Dip-ying, the screen actress. Notice was given at the Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday.

DOUBLE WEDDING

On the same day, there will be a double ceremony in which the parties will be Messrs. Eu Keng-loon and Eu Keng-yuet, sons of Mr. Eu Tong-sen, and the Misses Nancy Kan Shiu-kwan and May Shum Swee-yee.

Other forthcoming marriages announce include:—

Mr. Hermann Hofmeister, missionary, of the Basel Mission, No. 58, Taipo Road, and Miss Lotte Mondon, missionary, of the same address;

Mr. Anthony Wong Nai-chee, merchant, of No. 313, Hennessy Road, top floor, and Miss Jean Kwok, of the Young Women's Christian Association;

Mr. Li Chung-kan, clerk, of No. 21, Austin Road, second floor, Kowloon, and Miss Tsoi Siu-wai, of No. 55, Haiphong Road, top floor;

Mr To Kam-hung, merchant, of No. 278, Des Voeux Road West, second floor, and Miss Daisy Chan, of No. 432, Prince Edward Road, second floor;

Dr. Ip Ching-yu, of No. 51, Conduit Road, and Miss Teresa Wai-ching Sum, of No. 41, Conduit Road.

Miss Kan Ming, whose singing voice has frequently been heard in ZBW Chinese broadcasts, will take the part of Shi Sheung Wan in "The Dream of the Red Chamber," which will be produced for charity by local amateurs at the Taiping Theatre next month. (Photo: King's Studio).

Mr. Henry A. Wise Wood, President of the Wood Newspaper Machinery Corporation, died recently in New York, at the age of 73. He was the inventor of the autoplate, and of other mechanical devices for expediting the printing of newspapers.

TUESDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Grapefruit
Cereal
Sausages and Hominy
Muffins
Coffee

LUNCHEON

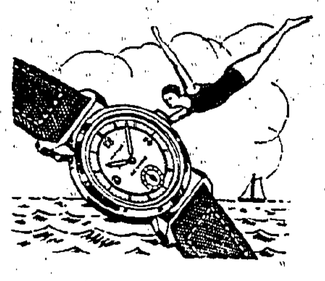
Fruit Cocktail
Lettuce and Tomato Salad
Irish Stew
Corn Bread
Relish
Strawberry Cake with Cream
Tea

DINNER

French Onion Soup
Stuffed Celery Salad
Meat Loaf
Tomato Sauce
Mashed Potatoes
Stewed Corn
Creamed Mushrooms
Cheese and Crackers
Coffee
Mints

ALWAYS FRESH
By Appointment to
THE VERY
BEST PEOPLE
ANCHOR
Butter

165 PREMIERS PRIX
MOVADO
ACVATIC



Leading
the World
in
Watch Value

obtainable from all
leading Stores in Victoria &
Kowloon.

Sole Agents:—CHINESE TRADING CO.
Bank of East Asia Bldg. 4th Floor.

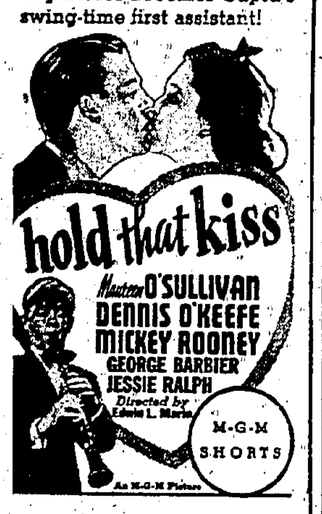
BOYS AND GIRLS!

Here's a wonderful opportunity for you to make some extra pocket money and to get a free ticket to see M-G-M's picture entitled "HOLD THAT KISS," another delightful surprise picture, starring Mickey Rooney, Maureen O'Sullivan and Denis O'Keefe, coming to the King's Theatre on May 18 for a three-day engagement.

All you have to do is to secure a subscription for the "Hongkong Daily Press" for a minimum period of six months from a relative or friend. For the first thirty subscriptions received, each successful contestant will receive 20 per cent. of the whatever subscriptions he secures as commission and a free ticket to the best seat in the King's Theatre to see "HOLD THAT KISS," with your most popular star, Mickey Rooney. After the first thirty subscriptions are received, we will only pay the commission, so send your subscriptions in early to get the free cinema ticket as well.

Each contestant can submit as many subscriptions as secured and qualify for the commission and cinema tickets.

A new note in fun . . . and love . . . when the funniest kid in pictures becomes Cupid's swing-time first assistant!



In all, there will be four competitions of this kind, each lasting one week. For each, similar prizes will be given (except that the picture for which the free cinema ticket is presented will vary), but, at the end of the fourth competition, the "Hongkong Daily Press" will, in addition to the prizes and commissions earned, offer a special prize of $20.00 to the competitor who has brought in the largest number of new subscribers—so long as the number is not less than twenty.

The first contest will remain in force until 12 noon on Tuesday, May 17, and the names of the successful contestants will be published on May 18.

Subscription rates for the "Daily Press" are as follows:—

6 months	$15.
12 "	$30.

SUBSCRIPTION BLANK

To the Competition Editor, "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS,"
Marina House,
HONGKONG.

Please deliver the "Daily Press" for .....months to Mr./Mrs. ..... at ..... (Address) ..... for which I enclose $..... to cover the subscription.

.....
NAME OF COMPETITOR

.....
ADDRESS

.....
TELEPHONE NUMBER (IF ANY)

NEWSETTES

Miss M. S. Watson has been appointed European Lady Almoner, Medical Department, Hongkong.

The Earl of Erne has succeeded the Viscount Gage as Lord in Waiting to the King.

Mr. E. W. F. Fraser-Smith, Secretary of the North-East Coast Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders, died recently.

Latest appointment in the Colonial Education Service is that of Miss R. W. Wickett to be Domestic Science Mistress, Hongkong.

Mr. H. Turner, Manager of Hongkong Clays and Kaolin Co., Ltd., left for Shanghai on Sunday by the s.s. Wosang.

Mr. F. C. Clemo, Chief Executive Engineer, China Light and Power Co., Ltd., left on a business trip to Shanghai on Sunday by the s.s. Wosang.

A purchase fund amounting to $3,000,000 has been placed in the hands of the Chekiang Provincial Tea, Cotton and Silk Control Bureau under a recent contract signed with the Foreign Trade Readjustment Commission of the Ministry of Finance.

Mr. C. Hopper, of the Burma Oil Co., arrived in the Colony yesterday by Imperial Airways. Miss M. Bell, Mr. Hopper's fiance, met him at the airport. Their wedding will take place to-morrow in St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, at 3.30 p.m.

The exhibition of paintings by Mrs. E. Friedlander, which was opened to the public at St. John's Cathedral Hall on Saturday, under the auspices of the Hongkong Working Artists' Guild, and continued yesterday, has been extended to 5 p.m. to-day.

Gen. Ho Kwuo-kwang, newly appointed Mayor of Chungking, and concurrently Deputy Garrison commander of the Chungking area, formally assumed his post yesterday. Gen. Ho retains his post as director of the Generalissimo's Provisional Headquarters in Chengtu.

The 24th anniversary of the "May 9 Incident" was observed by the National Government in Chungking with Dr. H. H. Kung, Premier and concurrently Minister of Finance, making the main address on the significance of the anniversary.

Captain Claud Barrington Barry, D.S.O., Captain of H.M.S. Medway and the Fourth Submarine Flotilla of the China Fleet, spent a week's holiday in Ceylon last month.

Well known as a judge at dog shows, the author of books on dogs, and founder of the Clonmel Kennels, Mr. Holland Buckley, died at Clonmel, Burnham, Bucks, aged 74 years.

Gen. Li Jen-jen, member of the Kwangsi Provincial Government, has been relieved of his post by order of the National Government. Mr. Su Hsi-sun has been appointed his successor.

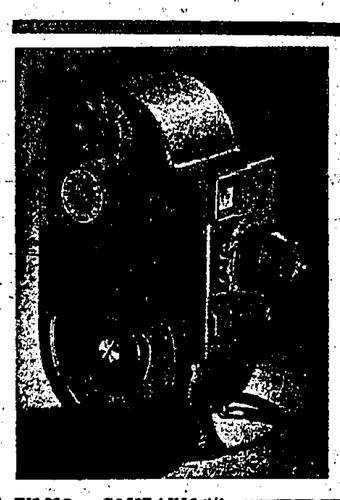
A cocktail party was held last evening on the m.v. Laura Maersk, visiting Hongkong on her maiden voyage. Captain J. H. Mikkelsen and agents, Messrs. Jebsen and Co., entertained shipping executives and their friends.

Over 300 passengers and a consignment of general cargo left Shanghai on May 9 aboard a German coastal steamer for Wenchow, marking the formal resumption of shipping services between the two ports.

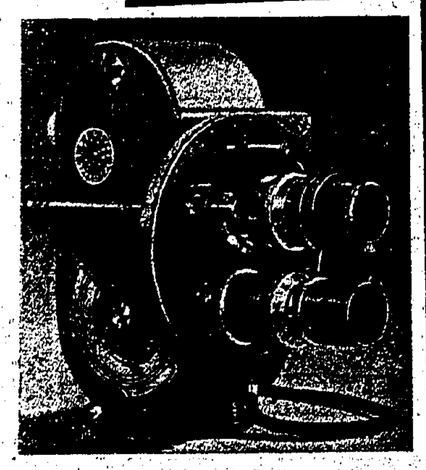
The following were among the passengers who left on the s.s. Wosang on Sunday: For Swatow—Mrs. M. J. Henderson, Mr. L. Sutton, Mr. Mo Wai, Mr. C. K. Hwang, Mr. Wan Sang, Mr. Wong Hung, Mr. F. C. Chang, Mr. J. Ashear, Mr. K. C. Lee; For Shanghai—Mrs. Machen, Mrs. K. H. Brown, Mrs. Hedwig Harms Emden, Mr. Pontius, Mr. H. Merelki, Mrs. Moore, Mr. G. Timuska, Rev. M. Bucholz, Mr. Tsui; For Chefoo—Mr. Tsang, Mr. Lan; For Tientsin—Mrs. F. W. Wright and two children, and Mr. Hu.

The following passengers left Hongkong on the s.s. Taiping for Australia via ports, yesterday:—Mrs. Robertson Aikman, Mr. Roman de Arruza y Ansorena, Lt. A. H. Bode, Mrs. B. L. Brass, Mr. T. R. Campbell, Mr. J. R. Campbell, Mr. J. Collins, Capt. J. B. Edmonds, Lt. W. K. Ghormley, Capt. J. Griffith, Mr. J. Jenkin, Capt. G. Keyser, Mr. K. Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Macdermott, Mrs. A. P. E. Macpherson and infant, Capt. Middleton, Mr. T. J. Mildren, Lt. A. C. Miller, Capt. Purcell, Mr. H. Saunders, Capt. T. de Shayo, Mr. E. Comrie Thompson, Mr. R. A. Vines, Miss R. Watkins, Mrs. D. M. Webster, Maj. W. L. Wharton, Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Youhotsky.

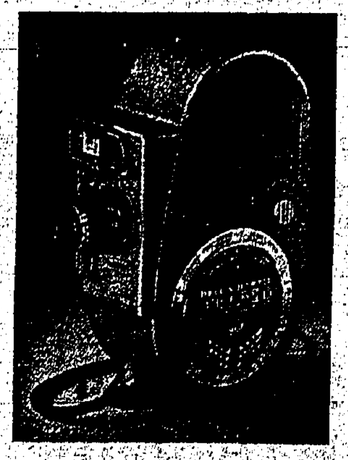
FOR BETTER SUMMER MOVIES
YOU MUST HAVE
A FILMO 8



THE FILMO "COMPANION"
Is the Ideal Camera for week-end movie making. Providing speeds of 8, 16, 24 and 32 Frames a Second, and Equipped with a Fine 12½ mm. F3.5 Lens in Quick-change Mount.



THE FILMO "ARISTOCRAT"
Is the Filmo Turret 8, with Three-lens Turret, Finder Objectives on Turret too, Critical Focuser, "Positive" Finder with "Spectip" Rubber Cup for Spectacle-wearers, four Speeds, Two Speed Ranges, Single-frame Exposures.



THE FILMO "SPORTSTER"
Incorporates such Refinements as an Automatic-reset in the Footage Dial Mechanism, Speeds of 16, 32, 48 and 64 Frames A Second, A Fine 12½ mm. F2.5 Lens, and is Styled in the Modern Manner.

CALL ON US FOR A
DEMONSTRATION

FILMO DEPOT
3RD FLOOR, MARINA HOUSE TELEPHONE 32158

TANGIBLE EXPRESSION OF PATRIOTIC SPIRIT

Gift Of Ambulance By Chinese Women's Club

A FULLY-EQUIPPED, 16-STRETCHER STUDEBAKER AMBULANCE, the gift of the Hongkong Chinese Women's Club, was handed over to the National Red Cross Society of China in the presence of a large gathering at Statue Square yesterday afternoon.

The presentation was made by Mrs. M. K. Lo, President of the Club, and the ambulance was received on behalf of the Red Cross by Dr. Chengting T. Wang, President of the Society. Dr. Wang was formerly Chinese Ambassador in Washington and one time Foreign Minister.

Others present included Mr. Tu Yu-seng, Vice-President of the Red Cross, Mr. Wang Shao-lai, Dr. J. Heng Liu, former Director of the National Health Administration, Dr. C. Y. Wu, Dr. Irene Ho Tung, Mrs. Li Shu-pui, Chairman of the Chinese Women's Club, Mrs. Anne Tang Chiu, Secretary, and Mrs. Ho Shai-lai.

THANKS EXPRESSED

After the ceremony, a tea party was held at the Club, when Dr. Wang, in a brief speech, thanked the Club for the gift. He said that it was a fine, tangible expression of the patriotic spirit of the Club's members and it would serve to convey to the soldiers at the front the knowledge that the womenfolk of the country were thinking of them and doing their best to help them in their heroic struggle.

"The ambulance," said Dr. Wang, was a valuable contribution to the Red Cross, and he expressed the hope that other generous donors would come forward and help, as ambulances were urgently needed.

Mrs. M. K. Lo and Mrs. Li Shu-pui also spoke.

The ambulance, which cost about $4,000, has been built to the specific needs of the Red Cross. Painted in road biscuit colour, it has no less than 16 stretchers, which may be stacked aside to give space for surgeons and nurses. The vehicle is ruggedly constructed and should render useful service in Hunan, where it is being sent.

C.-IN-C. LEAVES FOR NORTH

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Admiral Sir Percy Noble, left yesterday for Shanghai in H.M.S Birmingham, which will also call at Amoy and Foochow.

The destroyers, Duncan, Diamond and Defender, left for the north yesterday on a routine training cruise.

FOOT ITCH

ATHLETE'S FOOT

According to the Government Health Bulletin No E-28, at least 50% of the adult population of the United States are being attacked by the disease known as Athlete's Foot

Usually the disease starts between the toes. Little watery blisters form and the skin cracks and peels After a while the itching becomes intense and you feel as though you would like to scratch off all the skin.

Beware of It Spreading

Often the disease travels all over the bottom of the feet. The soles of your feet become red and swollen. The skin also cracks and peels, and the itching becomes worse and worse.

Get rid of this disease as quickly as possible, because it is very contagious and it may go to your hands or even to the under arm or crotch of the legs

Most people who have Athlete's Foot have tried all kinds of remedies to cure it without success. Ordinary germicides, antiseptics, salve or ointments, seldom do any good.

Here's How to Treat It

The germ that causes the disease is known as Tinea Trichophyton. It buries itself deep in the tissues of the skin and is very hard to kill A test made shows it takes 15 minutes of boiling to kill the germ, so you can see why the ordinary remedies are unsuccessful

H F was developed solely for the purpose of treating Athlete's Foot It is a liquid that penetrates and dries quickly You just paint the affected parts. It peels off the tissue of the skin where the germ breeds

Itching Stops Immediately

As soon as you apply H. F. you will find that the itching is immediately relieved. You should paint the infected parts with H. F. night and morning until your feet are well. Usually this takes from three to ten days, although in severe cases it may take longer or in mild cases less time.

H F will leave the skin soft and smooth. You will marvel at the quick way it brings you relief; especially if you are one of those who have tried for years to get rid of Athlete's Foot without success.

Obtainable at all Drug Stores.

Far East Representative.

AUW PIT SENG'S TRADING CO. LTD.

Hong Kong—Singapore

ATTEMPT TO EVADE BUS FARE FAILS

Shaw B. Yang, 38, described as a bank secretary, employed in the Bank of Canton, was charged before Mr. T J. Houston, at the Central Court yesterday, with evading bus fare of ten cents while travelling in a bus along Queen's Road West on Saturday. He was fined $20.

Inspector Mair said that defendant boarded the bus in Queen's Road West, Pokfulum, and when approached by the conductor, he replied that he had a ticket. An inspector later questioned him and defendant is alleged to have given him the same answer. When asked to produce his monthly ticket, he was stated to have tendered a ten cent coin.

Defendant was asked to go to the company's offices and a struggle then ensued, in the course of which Yang was alleged to have torn the inspector's watch from its strap. The inspector also lost his fountain pen as a result of the struggle.

Yang was also ordered to pay a compensation of $5 to the inspector.

STOLEN WATCH

Appearing on remand before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of receiving a stolen watch, Li Chun, 30, unemployed, and Ho Sau, a second-hand goods dealer, were found guilty and were sentenced to three months' hard labour and fined $10 or, in default, two weeks' imprisonment, respectively.

Mr. F. H. Loseby appeared for Ho Sau.

Detective-Sergeant T. Cashman told the Court that the watch belonged to Yeung Po-kuen, a police reservist.

FIRING PRACTICE

Firing practice will be carried out from Fort Stanley between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. to-day.

Anti-aircraft firing practice will also be carried out from D'Aguilar between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. to-day.

As a sequel to an attack on his wife's friend with an axe, Yim Chung-man, 37, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment by Mr Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

GERMAN PLANE AT KAI TAK

"Hans-Loeb" Here On Journey Home

Baron von Grablenz, executive of Lufthansa landed the German plane "Hans-Loeb," (Junkers' JU-52) at Kai Tak yesterday at 2.10 p.m., from Tokyo via Formosa, with little ado.

There was no reception for the German aviator and his three companions, Pilot Helm, Radio Officer Kober and Chief mechanic Wolschk Efficiently they landed, checked in their plane and departed from the airport, for the Peninsula Hotel.

The German goodwill ship arrived a day ahead of time. Their previous plans reported that they would arrive to-day on a ten-day visit to the Colony. However, now it is planned to take-off from Kai Tak to-morrow morning for Germany.

It is not definitely known whether Baron von Grablenz will depart with his crew for his home land, or if he will make use of his reservation on the California Clipper of Pan American Airways, leaving Hongkong on Friday morning

The Baron had arranged an itinerary which consisted of a trip across the Pacific Ocean and flights into Mexico and South America, before his return to Berlin.

INDIAN SERGEANT ACCUSED OF RECEIVING BRIBES

Further hearing of the case in which Lance-Sergt. Amerik Singh, of the Police Force, is charged on four counts of receiving bribes, totalling $3.60, and four alternative charges of misconduct as a police officer by taking gratuities, was continued at the Kowloon Court yesterday.

Insp. E. G. Post, of S.C.A., prosecuted, whilst defendant was represented by Mr. Hin-shing Lo.

Leong Kai, foki of a fish stall at Mongkok Market, stated that defendant came up to his stall to collect money. Witness told defendant that he had no power to give him money and advised him to go to his master's brother, Yip Yung, who was at stall No. 73. Witness could hear defendant saying "give me weekly money" to Yip Yung, but did not know how much money was given to defendant.

Mr. Lo: Did defendant made any attempt to buy fish?—No.

Did you know that your master and others were planning to trap defendant?—No.

Yip Sow, fish dealer of stall No. 74, also gave evidence after which the hearing was adjourned to tomorrow.

AIRPORT NEWS

Imperial Airways.

NORTHBOUND

Thursday: Bangkok, Hanoi, Hongkong.

Delphinus—4 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND

Friday: Hanoi, Bangkok.

Dorado, Delia—7 and 7.30 a.m.

Air France:

NORTHBOUND

Wednesday: France, Hanoi, Hongkong.

Service—12.30 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND

Saturday: Hanoi, France.

Service—7 a.m.

Pan American Airways:

EASTBOUND

Thursday: U.S.A., Manila, Hongkong.

California Clipper—2 p.m.

WESTBOUND

Friday: Manila, U.S.A.

California Clipper—3.30 a.m.

Eurasia Aviation Corp

A plane carrying mail and passengers from Chungking arrived at Kai Tak, yesterday evening.

In consequence of giving a false report to the police stating that she had been robbed of $12.50 and a watch, whereas in fact, she had spent the money, Tsang Sin-yu was bound over in the sum of $25 and ordered to pay $10 costs.

EXPLOSION OF EMPTY DRUM

Death Of Young Welder

The death of Chan San, 21-year-old welder, as the result of an explosion of an empty iron drum, on which deceased was working, at No. 360 Reclamation Street, ground floor, on April 29, was the subject of an inquiry held at the Kowloon Court yesterday. Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen sat as Coroner.

The drums contained sulphuric acid, and after being emptied, were not properly cleaned with soda water. The contents had formed into a gas, which caused the explosion.

His Worship, in giving a verdict of death due to misadventure, advised welders and other persons engaged in such work, to have the drums cleaned with a solution of soda water to avoid similar accidents. He said that during the month two such cases had occurred, but in the previous case, a man had only been injured.

HAND INJURED

Ngan Cheong, 81, apprentice of the deceased, sustained injuries to his hand in the accident, whilst Lo Min-chan, coolie, was thrown into the street and rendered unconscious.

Ngan Cheong said that he applied an acetylene burner. There were two drums, and as they had finished with one, they proceeded with the other, when the explosion occurred. He was also rendered unconscious.

Chan Tack-sam, broker, told the Court that he delivered seven drums to the Yee Lee chemical shop, where Chan Ho-kow was the master. Witness told him to wash the drums with a solution of soda water. The master did give instructions to his foki to wash them.

CONFIDENCE TRICK

How Gold Bangle Changed Hands

An ingenious trick to steal a gold bangle from a goldsmith's shop was revealed, at the Central Court yesterday, when an unemployed man, Chan Cheong, 32, was charged with theft before Mr. T. J. Houston.

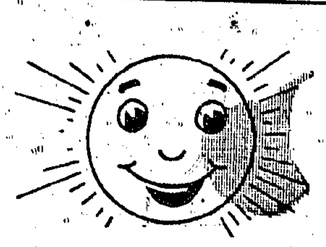
Chan, it was stated, ordered a bangle, valued at $145, from the Wah Chun Goldsmith shop, and instructed the foki to deliver it to No. 33, Hill Road. The foki arrived at the appointed address and handed the ornament to the defendant. Chan was in the house at the time. He took possession of the bangle and took off his long coat, hung it on the wall and asked to be excused. He then disappeared through the back door.

Nearly two months later, last Saturday, another foki saw the defendant walking in Queen's Road. He came back and informed the manager and had defendant arrested in a house which, it was said, defendant had frequented for mahjong.

Chan pleaded guilty to the offence and was sentenced to three months' hard labour. He was ordered to be sent back to his country at the expiration of his term.

B.F.R.D.C. GRANT TO TUNG WAH HOSPITAL

The Board of Administration has made a further grant to the Tung Wah Hospital of $6,000, to enable the Hospital to wind up its accounts in respect of the Shum Chun camp. Accordingly a cheque for this amount was sent yesterday to the Chairman of the Tung Wah Hospital.



"KEEP COOL!"

Why worry about the mercury pushing the top out of the thermometer?

"THE DISHRAG"

SPORTS SHIRT

WILL ENSURE YOUR COOLNESS AND COMFORT. ITS OPEN TEXTURE AND ABSORBENT QUALITIES NOT TO MENTION ITS DURABILITY HAVE MADE IT THE

CHOICE OF FAMOUS SPORTSMEN

AVAILABLE IN COLOURS OF: RUST, NAVY BLUE, AND BOTTLE GREEN, ALSO WHITE

Price $10.50 each

LESS 10% FOR CASH

Mens Wear Department

LANE • CRAWFORD • LTD.

The House of Quality & Service

Tel. 28151.

PASSENGERS THROWN OUT OF LORRY

Driver Fined On Summons

Found guilty on a charge of driving in a manner dangerous to the public, a lorry driver, Ho Yuk-tong, was fined $50 by Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the defendant and pleaded not guilty, while Traffic-Sergeant Sargent prosecuted.

Early on the morning of April 26, defendant was driving his lorry along Connaught Road Central from west to east and when near Jubilee Street an Indian constable put out his hand for the vehicle to stop.

It was alleged that defendant ignored the signal, swerved past the constable and drove on, thereby going on the wrong side of the road. As a result of the sudden turn, several passengers who were accompanying a load of fish, were thrown out of the lorry onto the road.

So Kuen, one of the passengers, was rendered unconscious.

COLONY HEALTH RETURNS

Thirty cases of tuberculosis were notified to the Health Department on May 14, in addition to five cases of measles, two cases each of cholera and dysentery and one case each of enteric fever and puerperal fever.

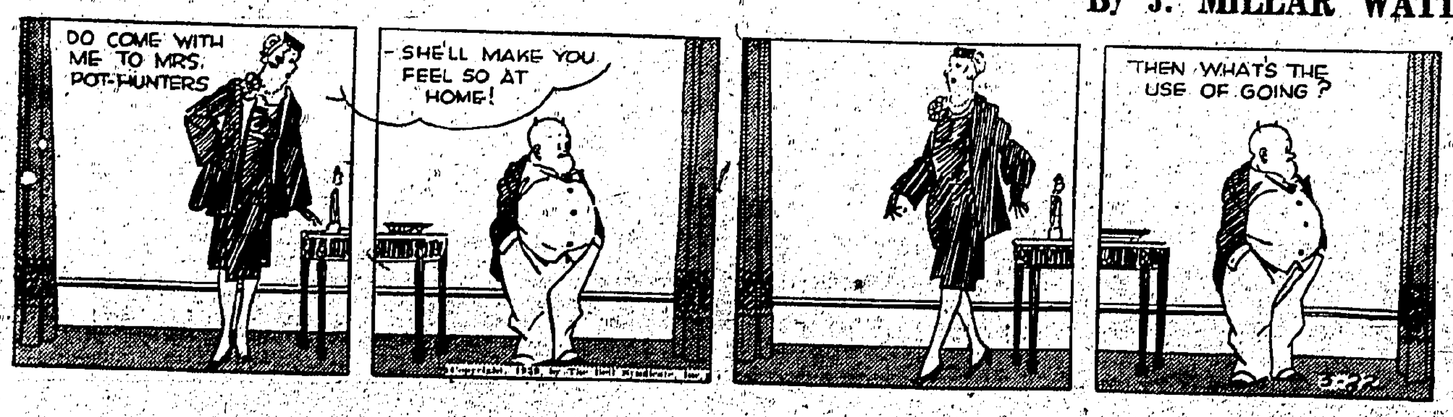
SANDEMAN

SHERRY & PORT

Obtainable everywhere.

POP—AT HOME HE FEELS AT HOME

By J. MILLAR WATT



Get the world's good news daily through

THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR

An International Daily Newspaper

Published by

THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE PUBLISHING SOCIETY

One, Norway Street, Boston, Massachusetts

Regular reading of THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR is considered by many a liberal education. Its clean unbiased news and well-rounded editorial features, including the Weekly Magazine Section, make the MONITOR the ideal newspaper for the home. The prices are: (U. S. Money)

1 year $12.00 6 months $6.00 3 months $3.00 1 month $1.00 Wednesday issue, including Magazine Section: 1 year $2.60, 6 issues 25c. and the paper is obtainable at the following location:

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM

First Church of Christ, Scientist,

81, Macdonnell Road,

Hong Kong.

ADVERTISEMENTS

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Fifty-Eighth Ordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Thursday, the 18th May, 1939, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1938.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 4th May to the 18th May, 1939, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.,
General Agents.

Hong Kong, 27th April, 1939.

841

THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LIMITED.

The Fifty-eighth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Thursday, 25th May, 1939, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 18th May to the 8th June, 1939 inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.,
General Managers.

Hong Kong, 25th April, 1939.

337

DEATH

SETH.—At Manly, N.S.W. on 13th May, 1939, Nellie, beloved wife of S. A. Seth. (Shanghai papers please copy).

389

The Daily Press
日西刺仔報

Editorial and Business Office: 15-19, Queen's Road Central, Tel. 30251.
Night Editor (Wanchai Office). Tel. 24511.
London Office: 53, Fleet Street E.C.4.

HONGKONG, MAY 16, 1939

SUBDUED ITALY

DESPITE the usual bombast with which his speeches are always interspersed, Signor Mussolini's latest utterances, when he spoke on Sunday at the opening of the Economic and Self-Sufficiency Exhibition in Turin, has made it abundantly clear how completely and totally he has now subjected himself and the Italian viewpoint to the Fuehrer of Germany, his lord and master. If previously he had shown tendencies to act independently, or in imitation of Herr Hitler, the very fact that he studiously refrained from any reference to matters of the moment—Danzig, the Anglo-Turkish Pact, the Anglo-Soviet negotiations, and, what is more important from the Italian angle, his own vaunted claims against France—must be regarded as a definite indication that not only was he ordered to leave such subjects out of his speech, but that in all probability the German Chancellor, to use newspaper parlance, treated an advance copy of his speech to a vigorous "subbing."

IN CONSEQUENCE, Il Duce's speech, his customary vehemence notwithstanding, has at once been classed as a harmless harangue containing little to which strenuous objection can be taken. Speaking collectively all along, Signor Mussolini made a brave effort to colour his phrases in his usual flamboyant style, but he failed to conceal from an observant world that to-day his end of the Axis is grasped firmly in the hand of the German dictator. "All our objectives will be reached," he thundered; "the system of guarantees will crumple up," he declared—all in obedience to behests from Berlin. And then he went on to commit his blunder, a blunder of inaccuracy and weak procrastination when he made the surprising assertion that "Japan, Germany and Italy have not abstracted a square metre of territory or a single inhabitant from the sovereignty of the great democracies." Signor Mussolini's qualification "the great democracies" excluded from his thoughts at the moment the invasion of Abyssinia, the Austrian coup, the rape of Czechoslovakia, the Albanian expedition and Japan's "China Incident." He even overlooked, in his nervousness not to irritate the German Chancellor, Germany's, and his own, claims to colonies which belong to the "great democracies!"

THE TEMPO of Il Duce's speech, therefore, furnishes the proof that an anxious world has been waiting for during these past few months—proof that the action now being taken by the democratic powers of the west to safeguard the independence of those smaller states whose independence is being threatened by dictatorial measures, has had the necessary effect in calling a temporarily halt, at least, to Totalitarian plans in Europe. Whatever comfort this thought may bring to those who are striving for peace and the avoidance of war, it must not be construed to mean that Europe and the world generally are out of the danger that has been threatening to destroy civilization. On the contrary, Herr Hitler will assuredly resort to even more subtle plans to achieve his ends. If he does not fulfil his oft-repeated promises to those on whose emotions he has so successfully worked, it will not only mean disaster for himself, but catastrophe for the much publicized Axis. There is such a thing as face-saving and no one is more alive to it than the German Chancellor. The democracies, therefore, having scored in the first round, must not relax their efforts to meet every move that will undoubtedly follow. Such moves can only be checked by a further consolidation of their position with all those nations who are prepared to line up against ruthless and overbearing dictatorial technique.

Twelve men, including hawkers and unemployed, were charged before Mr. T. J. Houston at the Central Court yesterday with wounding Chan Pui, unemployed, at Bridges Street on May 10. They were remanded for three days on application of the police for further inquiries.

BRILLIANT SOCIETY WEDDING AT THE CATHEDRAL

Mr. Jack Hutton-Potts And Miss Antonia Cohen

RECEPTION ON TAMAR

Spring's most beautiful bride was Miss Antonia Ursula Cohen who was married yesterday afternoon in St. John's Cathedral to Mr. Jack Yuan Hutton-Potts. The ceremony was performed by the Very Rev. J. L. Wilson.

Miss Cohen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Cohen, Gloucestershire, and during the past few months she has been visiting with Commodore and Mrs. E. B. C. Dicken at their Peak residence. Yesterday, Commodore Dicken honoured the bride by escorting her to the altar.—Mrs. David Cohen, the bride's mother arrived in Hongkong last Friday flying from London to attend the wedding.

Mr. Hutton-Potts is the son of the late Mr. George Hutton-Potts, former chairman of the Hongkong Stock Exchange, and Mrs. R. McLellan of London. Serving Mr. Potts as best man was Mr. Robin MacGregor.

The Cathedral was beautifully decorated the artistic arrangements being executed by Lady Pollock. Approximately two hundred guests, who were escorted to their seats by ushers, Mr. Claude Burgess, Flag-Lieutenant J. P. Gunner, R.N., Mr. F. M. Thomson, Lieut. A. M. Green, R.N. and Mr. Honky Kwan.

PRETTY BRIDE

The pretty, scintillating bride swept down the aisle in a beige-peach brocaded satin gown with a long pointed train. About her neck were strands of pearls, and the veil attached to her head with a bandeau was of the same shade and hung to her waist in folds. In her hands, Miss Cohen carried fragile, rare orchids of yellow, with greens.

The material of the dress was by Rodier and the Empire style post-Molyneux. Madame Helene produced that exquisite daintiness in the finish of the tiny puff sleeves and the gathering.

Attending the bride were the two beautiful twins, Miss Kay Lucas and Miss Lorna Lucas, of Shanghai. The bridesmaids carried out the same colour scheme, as the bride's gown, beige-peach organze fashioned in floor length frocks with puff sleeves and fitted bodice. Poke bonnets of organza, tulle and velvet ribbon were worn over their stylish coiffures. Their corsages were of the same variety of orchid in one large spray.

In a setting sun and with the echoing peels of St. John's Cathedral's bells in the late afternoon air, the bride and groom departed from the Church and motored to the naval dockyard where they boarded the H. M. S. Tamar for the reception.

WITTY SPEECH

Toasting the newly-weds, Commodore Dicken uttered the amusing words, "I am given to understand that amongst those who play certain games of chance, the winnings of jackpots is particularly a matter for congratulations and while I do not in any way want to suggest that 'Antonia' is 'taking a chance,' I am sure you will all agree that she is very much to be felicitated in 'scooping the pool!'"

Attending the cocktail party and offering congratulations were approximately three hundred and fifty guests and in this gay gathering were seen Lady Noble, Mr. and Mrs. D. Landale, Miss Vickers, Brigadier and Mrs. Reeve and Miss J. Reeve, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell and Mrs. Lindsell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cock, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hall, Major G. Murray, Sir Robert Kotewall and Miss Kotewall, Hon Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Smith, Miss R. Smith, Captain St. John, Major-General A. E. Grasett and Mrs. Grasett, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dodwell with Miss D. Dodwell, Mr. Tony Carroll and Mr. Bill Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Winter, Mr. J Wilkinson, Mr. A. H. Compton, Captain and Mrs. H. C. Harland, Captain and Mrs. Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dulley, Mr. D. Drummond, Captain and Mrs. E. H. B. Neil, R. N.;

Mr. Peter Potts, Mr. and Mrs O. E. C. Marton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pestonji and Misses B. and E. Pestonji, Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Pringle, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bagram, Mr. Mickie Wright, Dr. and Mr. J. A. R. Selby, Captain R. H. Boxer, Mr. Erik Nelson, Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. Hulbert R. N., Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Raymond, Mr. Gilbert Harriman, Mr. M. Carlo, Mr. and Mrs. L. Kadoorie, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Petrie, Commander and Mrs. Kingdon, Commander and Mrs. E. V. Lees, R. N., Commander and Mrs. H. C. Rusc, R. N., Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. H. St. G. Bury R. N., Paymaster-Commander and Mrs. H. G. Oswin, Paymaster-Commander and Mrs. Hickman, Very Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Wilson, Mrs. and Miss Dowbiggin, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Orror, Dr. and Mrs. G. D. R. Black, Mr. and Mrs. H. Odell, Mr. Eu Tong-sen, Mr. Gifford Hull, Mrs. Alice Herlofsen, Commander and Mrs. Porter, Brigadier and Mrs A. B. Thomson, were just a few honouring the bride and groom.

Though the date is not announced Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutton-Potts are planning a honeymoon trip to Batavia and Bali.

Mrs. Hutton-Potts will be attired in summer's latest travelling creation of lime green crepe having a dark blue flower print design, her hat and accessories matching the design in colour and a rakish lime coloured scarf at the neck, when she boards the steamer for the south.

Appearing on remand before Mr. E. Himsworth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, B. J. Levokovich, overseer of the China Light and Power Co., summoned for assault on Li Hon on April 22, at Tai Wan Bay, was discharged. Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the complainant.

KING THANKS H.K. FOR GOOD WISHES

In reply to a telegram sent by His Excellency the Governor to the Secretary of State for the Colonies on May 6, wishing Their Majesties, on behalf of all communities in Hongkong, a successful journey to Canada and a safe return, the following telegram was received on Saturday by His Excellency:

"Your telegram No. 145 has been laid before His Majesty the King who desires that an expression of sincere thanks may be conveyed to you and all communities in Hongkong for the message."

H.K. POLICE RESERVE

CHINESE COMPANY

Training Course—Part II. The undermentioned members of the Chinese Company will attend Chinese Company Headquarters for Part II of Training Course on Tuesday, May 16 at 17.30 hours sharp:—

Constables R128 Chan Yiu-hing, R106 Tang Siu-woon, R112 Chan Ching-man, R124 Peter Francis Lee, R131 Lam Kwok-fee, R132 Law Man-cho, and R133 Chan Cheong-shing.

Patrol Duty. Nightly between 20.00 hours and midnight by members as detailed by the Officer in Charge of Company.

INDIAN COMPANY

Patrol Duty. Nightly between 20.00 hours and midnight by members as detailed by the Officer in Charge of Company.

FLYING SQUAD

Patrol Duty. Nightly between 20.00 hours and midnight by members as detailed by the Officer in Charge of Company.

EMERGENCY UNIT RESERVE

Patrol Duty. Nightly between 20.00 hours and midnight by members as detailed by the Officer in Charge of Company.

C. CHAMPKIN,
D. S. P. (R).

Hongkong, May 15, 1939.

REFUGEES IN THE COLONY

The total number of refugees and destitutes accommodated in Government Camps, etc., in Urban and Rural Areas for the week ending May 13, was 10,596, compared with 10,788 on May 6.

Urban Areas (Civilians)

King's Park 1,565, compared with 1,567 on May 6.

Ma Tau Chung 1,055, compared with 1,069 on May 6.

North Point 1,693, compared with 1,678 on May 6.

Urban Areas (Soldiers)

Lai Chi Kok Hospital (Upper Ward) 14, compared with 15 on May 6.

Ma Tau Chung 762, compared with 762 on May 6.

Rural Areas

Kam Tin 4,131, compared with 4,210 on May 6.

Fanling, North 564, compared with 658 on May 6.

Fanling, South 812, compared with 829 on May 6.

Man Kam To, closed on April 30.

NEW AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINE VESSELS

Information regarding the New American President Line's type C-3 Around-World liners, now being built by order of the U.S. Maritime Commission, was announced yesterday.

All six of these modern streamlined vessels are to be placed in service from the ports of San Francisco and Los Angeles. The first of them should be available within a year or eighteen months, according to Mr. Joseph R. Sheehan, President of the American President Lines.

The new ships will be combination passenger and cargo carriers, affording spacious and de luxe accommodations for between 80 and 100 passengers.

General particulars of the vessels follow:

Length — overall: 492 feet; beam: 69½ feet; draft, loaded: 26½ feet; displacement tonnage: 16,190; deadweight, at full load displacement: 9,690 tons; speed, 16½ knots; cruising radius at 16½ knots; approximately 12,000 nautical miles; crew complement, approx. 100.

The vessels will have refrigerator space for approximately 600 tons, and general cargo space of about 5,430 tons.

The Commission has followed the latest developments, in this country and abroad, and in some instances has been the initiator of improvements, so that these vessels may compete successfully with all other ships of this particular design class.

PANIC IN AMOY

CHINESE YOUTHS ARRESTED

FOOCHOW, May 15 (Central)—More than 100 Chinese youths in Kulangsu who were arrested by the Japanese following their landing there last week, are reported to have been escorted to Amoy. Their fate is unknown.

Panic now reigns in the island with Japanese sentries posted at vantage points. The Kulangsu Municipal Council is said to be experiencing difficulties in carrying out its police duties.

Most of the shops, including those owned by foreigners, have suspended business.

JAPANESE AIR RAIDS

Heavy Property Loss In Changchow

FOOCHOW, May 15 (Central)—Heavy civilian property losses were caused by eight Japanese planes on Saturday when they severely raided Changchow, in south Fukien. More than 50 bombs were dropped in the city, devastating a wide area.

Hiteng, Chihmei, Tungan and Sungyu, on the coast east of Changchow, were also raided.

SWATOW BOMBED

SWATOW, May 15 (Central)—More civilian casualties were caused by three Japanese planes in a raid yesterday morning when they dropped a number of bombs over the busy sections of the city.

CHUNGKING PROTEST

CHUNGKING, May 15 Central)—The China Branch of the International Peace Campaign has cabled a detailed report of recent mass raids on Chungking by Japanese warplanes to the headquarters of the International Peace Campaign in Geneva.

The cablegram points out the baseness of the Japanese terrorist action which failed to break down Chinese resistance and, on the contrary, even strengthened the Chinese will to fight to the end.

The cablegram requests that the resolutions passed by the Paris Conference for the Denunciation of Bombardment of Open Cities be enforced and that sanctions against Japan by various Powers be tightened.

FRANCO - POLISH MILITARY TALKS

WARSAW, May 15 (Reuter)—Gen. Kasprzycki, the Polish Defence Minister, has left for Paris on a private visit.

It is stated, however, that he will discuss military matters.

ASIATIC CHOLERA AMONG THE CHINESE

Appalling Toll Of Dread Scouge Of The East

(BY T. PAUL GREGORY)

The recent warning of the Director of Medical Services on the subject of the return of Asiatic Cholera to the Colony has concentrated attention on this dread scourge of the East. The pestilential disease has achieved an unenviable notoriety in the race for "public enemy No. 1," and, like the human menaces to communal safety and public welfare, it is a comparatively new recruit to gangsterdom.

Asiatic Cholera broke into print, so to speak, in the year 1819, when it decided to "muscle in" on the secure racket enjoyed by other diseases in the province of Bengal in British India. Like John Dillinger, "Baby Face" Nelson, and other vermin of the gangster era in the U.S.A., it could not confine its activities to one section of the country, but had to run amok, and soon spread over a great part of Asia.

But where human gangsters could ordinarily count their victims on the fingers of both hands, cholera's appalling toll must amount to millions, and the "G-men" of public health have been powerless to stop its ravages. This state of affairs will continue as long as the masses of the East remain indifferent to the dangers resulting from contaminated food and water.

First Appearance:

The first appearance of the disease in China was in 1820, when it was introduced into Kwangtung and Fukien by returning emigrants from the Straits Settlements. During the summers of 1820 and 1821, the Middle Kingdom suffered severely, and, singularly enough, it was in the rural areas where the mortality was the highest.

The Chinese were naturally greatly alarmed at the sudden outbreak, and while their physicians understood the treatment of ordinary bowel complaints, they were completely baffled by this visitation from India.

The dreadful cramps assailing the extremities were regarded as the very torments of hell, and were the only means of differentiating it from the usual crop of summer diseases. From these circumstances, Asiatic Cholera is known in many parts of China to this day, as the ch'au-kan ching, or "sickness which contracts the tendons."

Various explanations were advanced by the Chinese to account for the cause of the pestilence, and, in the absence of any knowledge concerning sanitation and the germ theory of disease, most conjectures were deeply tinged with superstition.

The common belief was that the malady arose from "morbific cold," which disturbed the harmony of the powers of the system, and could only be restored by administering medicines increasing the "natural fire," such as cassia, cinnamon, aloes-wood, sulphur, asbestos, stalactite, deer horn tips, dried kop-kani, or "spotted lizard," silkworm moths, etc.

Another Notion:

Another notion was the direct opposite of this, and like it was accepted as Gospel truth by an equally large number of people. It held that the "accumulated heat" in the body destroyed the equilibrium subsisting among the various organs, and that the method of proper treatment consisted in the use of cooling remedies.

Strangely enough this school of native thought anticipated modern medical science by realising that cholera was a form of blood poisoning, and although it was a disease of the bowels, its true seat was in the blood.

Consequently, the exponents of this belief prescribed for their patients medicines reputed to cool the blood, such as saffron, cypress tops, elm root, cinnabar, and rabbit's flesh.

These theories, or rather a combination of them, are still in vogue in China to this day. In the treatment of cholera as followed by many of the old-fashioned Chinese physicians, the juice of fresh ginger plays a great part, being used to impart vital energy and warmth to the body. Sometimes sternutatories (substances promoting sneezing, such as snuff, etc.) are restorted to as a preliminary regimen, the idea being that, if a cholera patient can be made to sneeze, his constitution is thought to favour recovery.

Like the western mode of therapeutic procedure, the Chinese apply heat to the abdomen, but instead of hot flaxseed poultices or hot turpentine stupes (fomentations), such counter-irritants as a mixture of salt and garlic, or even moxa are employed.

Widespread Ignorance:

By such means, relief is afforded to many, but it is in the treatment of the fever which occurs in a later stage, that Chinese medicine generally fails in cholera. This is because there is such a widespread ignorance regarding really effective methods of reducing fevers other than by the ancient mode of kwaat-sha, or "scraping the moistened skin with a copper coin, jade buckle or tablespoon."

Consequently, the mortality is abnormally large, but with the knowledge of the use of ice and cold packs to the head and body, or even cold sponging, perhaps a more favourable outcome to cholera cases might be expected.

Often when the fever is at its height, and delirium is the inevitable consequence, causing the "soul to wander away from the body," as the Chinese naively express it, extraordinary methods are adopted in certain parts of the country.

One of these, employed in the case of children, is as follows: The nearest relative of the ailing youngster takes a lighted lantern in his hand, and stands outside the door of the house. Occasionally he waves the lantern above his head, and cries out in a mournful voice the child's name: "A-sei woot-lai loh! A-sei woot-lai loh!" (A-sei come back home! A-sei come back home!) Those in the house who are watching the little patient answer: "A-sei lai-choh! A-sei lai-choh!" (A-sei has come back! A-sei has come back!) This strange dialogue is repeated over and over again, with the hope that the delirium will subside.

When this occurs, the family rejoices, believing that the wandering soul has seen the lighted lantern, and hearing the call, has returned to its usual abode, with the result that the fever is broken and the child is probably assured of eventual recovery.

Serious Disadvantage:

But generally speaking the lack of information available among the masses places them at a serious disadvantage during a cholera epidemic. This is well illustrated in the case of the treatment of the terrible cramps which are among the first symptoms of the disease.

When these occur, it requires all the ingenuity of those at the bed-side to provide a remedy, and it is not surprising that the expedients adopted run the full gamut of the imagination.

One of the most singular is the following: A paper parasol, together with the bamboo framework of an old Chinese lantern and some dried stalks of garlic are burned beside the patient's bed. The acrid odour of the burning garlic may possibly exert a sedative effect on the sick, but the other objects apparently serve no useful purpose, unless it is the provision of sufficient tinder for the combustion of the herb.

As long as such methods of treatment prevail, and the practical application of sanitary science remains neglected, Asiatic Cholera will continue to devastate the East. But with the general adoption of such preventive measures as those which have been found effective in controlling the pestilence elsewhere, China will cease to be one of the principal foci of infection, and an immediate improvement in public health with a decline in mortality will be the result.

Royal Arrival In Quebec Delayed: Liner Ploughs Through Ice-Fields

EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA, MAY 15 (REUTER)—FRESH EXCITEMENT AWAITED THE PASSENGERS WHEN THEY AWOKE YESTERDAY MORNING to find the ship in clear weather, but entirely surrounded by ice-floes, through which the liner ploughed at four knots, with ice-floes bumping and scraping the sides and carrying away the paint, leaving behind her a track of black sea through the white ice.

All the time little black ice-birds dived and swam among the floes, while the destroyers followed in her wake.

The captain ordered a change of course to the south to avoid still thicker ice and though the liner met fog again, she was able to proceed fitfully.

Their Majesties are most sympathetic with those in Canada who have been inconvenienced by the change of arrangements.

DIVINE SERVICE

Their Majesties attended Divine Service, which was conducted by the Purser, the Captain having to remain on the bridge as the ship was in the midst of an ice-field.

The King and Queen joined in the singing of the hymns. Two special prayers were said, one for the Royal Family, the Governor-General of Canada, the President of the United States and the legislators of the Empire, and the other petitioning the Almighty to "conduct us speedily and safely on this voyage and bring us in peace and comfort to our desired haven." The simple and impressive service was made more dramatic by the occasional sounding of the ship's syren.

Japan's Kwangtung Campaign

PLANS HELD UP BY LACK OF TROOPS

From Our Own Correspondent

CHUNGSHAN, May 15.—Having recaptured Fook Wor, 30 miles north-east of Canton, Chinese forces are following up their success by attacking Tsengcheng in the east. Japanese reinforcements are rushed to Tsengcheng along the highway. Several hills overlooking Tsengcheng were also recaptured by troops of General Wu Chi-wei, head of the 9th Group Army.

Without sufficient troops for their campaign in Kwangtung, the Japanese in Canton are enlisting riff-raffs and brigands for six months training, and these men will be used for service in this province. The Japanese told the puppets that they will have nothing to lose, for in the event of defeat they just discard their uniforms and resumed their role of Chinese citizens. They are interested in looting their fellow countrymen and dead Japanese soldiers.

ANOTHER THREAT

Japan's failure to push westward, via Hokshan and Koming, prompts them to make another threat to Chungshan county from the north. The militia here are ready to give battle. Chinese reports feature the military activities of Mr. Wu Fai, a provincial official, who came here really to look into the tax situation, as he is not a professional soldier.

Japanese intelligence reports were wrong when they claimed that Gen. Pai Hsung-hsi, the famous Kwangsi military chief, had gone to Yungyun, north of Canton, to give orders to the provincial troops there. Yungyun was, therefore, heavily bombed on May 12, and over a hundred civilians were killed. Gen. Pai was not in town at the time of the raid.

Being unsuccessful on many fronts, the Japanese high command is in session in Canton to plan out new moves.

TERRITORIAL ARMY

During March 13,335 recruits joined the Territorial Army—a record for any one month's recruiting.

On April 1 the strength in officers and men was 221,953, compared with 167,395 a year ago.

The establishment was 246,379, a figure which includes a number of new units formed on that day, and the average strength of the 13 divisions of the Field Force was 99.5 per cent. of establishment.

"BLOODY HARLAN COUNTY"

CLASH EXPECTED OVER COAL STRIKE AGREEMENT

LONDON, May 15 (Reuter)—The New York correspondent of the "News Chronicle" states that the Governor of Kentucky called out 500 armed State Troopers "to maintain order" on Monday when the coal owners in Harlan County begin to re-open their pits in defiance of the Mineworkers' Unions.

"Bloody Harlan County" has been the scene of many violent labour clashes and the troopers are appearing at the direct request of the coal owners.

Among the six Southern groups who refused to sign the agreement with Mr. John L. Lewis on May 13, were Harlan employers, who declared their intention of re-opening with no Union labour.

Mr. Lewis warned the employers that "the day has gone by in the United States when men can be shot back into the mines."

A Reuter report from Athens states that the Greek Prime Minister will receive the British Ministers and the head of the British Trade Mission, Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, Financial Adviser to the British Government.

WELFARE OF CHINESE IN OCCUPIED AREAS

SUPREMACY OF SPIRITUAL STRENGTH: GENERALISSIMO CHIANG'S BROADCAST

In a nation-wide broadcast on the evening of May 1, at the first People's Monthly Meeting of the National Spiritual Mobilization Movement, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek dealt at length on the significance of the Movement and the supremacy of spiritual strength. He expressed his deep concern over the welfare of the people in the guerilla districts and Japanese occupied areas.

After exhorting his audience to vow to make May the "month of national humiliation," the "month of revenge," the Generalissimo went on to express his concern for the people outside of "Free China," especially those along railways and in the North-Eastern Provinces.

"The Sign of Victory," a drawing by Lai Ping-hung.

"Although physically we are separated, our souls and spirits are closely united," he declared. "I have never for one moment forgotten the painful life which you are leading under Japanese oppression. I know that you are looking forward to the day of our victory and the recovery of our lost territory; I know the efforts you are making to maintain the national spirit under enemy oppression.

Move Effective

"When I hear that you have killed an enemy or destroyed a batch of enemy goods, I am more moved and elated than I am on receiving news of military success at the front. To kill one enemy in the Japanese rear is more effective than killing 100 at the front.

"To resist the enemy spiritually and to refuse them co-operation behind their lines is just as effective as fighting against them at the front. We shall not forget you and we shall do all we can to live up to your expectations and redeem you from oppression. For this reason we shall continue the war of prolonged resistance at any sacrifice.

"To-day we launch our National Spiritual Mobilization Movement. I know that all Chinese, wherever they may be will join us in this movement. We are one people. War may temporarily separate us, but it cannot destroy our patriotic spirit."

Appeal To Youth

"I expect" he continued, "those who live in Shanghai, Tientsin, Hankow, and foreign countries, especially our youth, to remember the humiliations of the nation. You must be self-reliant in spirit and upright in your daily life.

"I have been told by Chinese and foreign friends from Shanghai, Tientsin, and Hankow that some of our young persons in the foreign concessions still lead a life of gaiety. You know that you are living under enemy oppression. You must make war service your duty. You must maintain your integrity so that you may not be slighted by both your enemy and your friends. I expect you to be true to the National Pact in full.

National Pact

"The Pact calls for:—

(1) Not to act contrary to the Three People's Principles;

(2) Not to disobey laws and orders of the Government;

(3) Not to betray the interests of the State;

(4) Not to become traitors or subjects of the enemy state;

(5) Not to participate in traitors' organizations;

(6) Not to become officers or privates in the enemy army or the puppet army;

(7) Not to serve as guides for the enemy or the traitors;

(8) Not to spy on behalf of the enemy or the traitors;

(9) Not to work for the enemy or the traitors;

(10) Not to accept banknotes of the enemy or puppet banks;

(11) Not to purchase enemy goods;

(12) Not to sell foodstuffs or other articles to the enemy or the traitors."

The nation's Supreme Leader explained that spiritual mobilization is one of the most important and effective weapons to combat the enemy. The spiritual fortress of the people is far more effective and formidable than those of concrete.

Spiritual Revolution.

Coming to the People's Monthly Meeting, the Generalissimo pointed out that "Such meetings will serve as evening drums and morning bells for our spiritual revolution.

"We must ask constantly these questions: Have we forgotten that the enemy has invaded our country and murdered our fellow countrymen? Have we forgotten that our houses have been destroyed, our family members have been killed, and our women-folk violated by the enemy?

"Remembering all this, we will be able to redouble our efforts to avenge our humiliation and to succeed in our war of resistance and national reconstruction."

Loyalty To Duty

In conclusion, the Generalissimo urged that in order to obtain final victory we must be loyal to our duty, and obey the orders of the Government.

"If we can fulfill these stipulation, there is no doubt that we can drive the enemy from our territory, and realize our sacred mission. There will be no doubt then of our achieving the tasks of revolution and national reconstruction as laid down on the 'San Min Chu I.'"

The French Government is returning 470 railway carriages to Franco's Government. This is the complete railway stock belonging to the Republican Government and which is being returned to the Spanish Government under an agreement signed in February last, says Reuter.

GROUP PICTURE TAKEN AT THE RECEPTION on board H.M.S. Tamar yesterday afternoon following the wedding at St. John's Cathedral between Mr. Jack Yuan Hutton-Potts and Miss Antonia Cohen. The Dean of the Cathedral officiated and the bride was given away by Commodore E. B. C. Dicken. (Photo by Mee Cheong).

JOAN OF ARC FESTIVAL IN PARIS

PARIS, May 15 (T/Ocean)—The Joan of Arc festival, which is held here annually for eight days, following a similar event in Orleans, took place yesterday in the form of a display before the Joan of Arc monument in the Rue de Rivoli.

Headed by Premier Daladier, the French Government was present for the parade of troops, ranging from students of the St Cyr Military Academy to modern motorized units.

Following the official act of celebration, the members of the Government withdrew and the National Republican and Royalist organisations marched past the monument.

Macgregor's V.O.S.

FINEST LIQUEUR SCOTCH WHISKY

"The Connoisseur's Choice"

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & CO., LTD.

2 CHATER ROAD. TELEPHONES: 20075 & 30644.

BRITISH SHIPS DETAINED AT CANTON

SHAMEEN, May 15 (Int'l)—Owners of British river steamers detained here by Japanese are making another effort to secure the release of their vessels which have been here since the fall of Canton on October 21. Their names are Tai Lee, Tung On, Kwong Sai, Ta Ming, Tin Shing and others

The Japanese excuse for holding these vessels is that they are owned by the Chinese, but the fact is that all these ships are registered in Hongkong and fly the British flags. The majority shareholders of the shipping companies are British subjects.

It is said that the Hongkong Government will be asked to secure the return of these vessels which are rotting on the Pearl River.

Democracies Lead In The Air

FRANCO-BRITISH PRODUCTION

PARIS, May 6—The democracies have a clear superiority in air power over the Rome-Berlin axis, declares a former French Minister for Air. Senator Laurent Eynac, in a report to the International Diplomatic Academy here.

Germany has 5,000 planes, of which half are bombers, says M. Eynac. Italy has 2,000 machines, and the axis Powers are producing 900 machines a month.

Britain has 5,000 planes, while France possesses 2,500. Franco-British production, now 700 a month, will reach 900 within a few weeks.

Pending the conclusion of the Franco-British "safety chain," adds M. Eynac the part that the Russian air force—5,000 planes—will play cannot be predicted. "But it will certainly not be used on the side of Germany."

"Down With Wang"

SHANGHAI, May 15 (Int'l)—"Down with Wang Ching-wei." This is the slogan posted in different parts of the International Settlement and French Concession following the report that the expelled Kuomintang leader has suggested to the Japanese ways and means to recover the foreign concessions.

Wang is said to have proposed eight terms for the rendition of the foreign controlled area and to have suggested that the matter should be taken up by the puppet Reformed Government in Nanking.

A certain defunct Chinese evening paper will resume publication on May 25 as an organ of Wang. It will be registered in one of the Consulates with a certain foreigner as nominal owner and publisher.

THE HONG KONG PENINSULA HOTEL; HONGKONG HOTEL; REPULSE BAY HOTEL; & SHANGHAI ASTOR HOUSE; PALACE HOTEL; HOTELS LIMITED.

In association with the Grand Hotel des Wagons Lits, Peking.

FOREIGN REACTION TO IL DUCE'S SPEECH

GERMANY: "DIRECT ANSWER TO MR. CHAMBERLAIN"

France: Moderate In Character

BERLIN, May 15 (Reuter)—Signor Mussolini's speech was enthusiastically welcomed in German political circles as being a direct answer to Mr. Chamberlain, particularly on the Danzig question.

A political commentator declared that certain questions must be solved and that the sword was not necessary to solve them, but that it was up to the Democracies to prove their oft-repeated declarations that the status quo can be altered by negotiations.

He added: "Only the madness of others who try to prevent the Democratic rights of self-determination of the people of Danzig to do what they want can cause a conflagration."

In future the Axis wants to be convinced of Britain's peaceful intentions by deeds and not words, which are no longer sufficient.

NOT PACIFIC

NEW YORK, May 15 (Reuter)—The "New York Herald-Tribune" thinks that Signor Mussolini's speech at Turin yesterday may relax the immediate tension but, in the long view, cannot be called pacific.

"DESIRE FOR PEACE"

TURIN, May 15 (Reuter)—Signor Mussolini made a brief speech when he opened new workshops at the Fiat factory. Il Duce declared that he spoke with extreme clarity on the international situation yesterday and added, "I reaffirmed in the most explicit manner, our desire for peace, but I also said that some problems must be resolved before they become so chronic as to be a danger for all."

The remainder of the speech dealt with social policy.

POLISH VIEW

WARSAW, May 15 (T/Ocean)—The first paper to comment on the speech at Turin by the Duce is the semi-official "Czas," which shows obvious displeasure at the attacks against the Democracies and the Versailles system.

The Duce's words, in which he stated that war was no necessity and that, in order to untie the present knots, one need not take the sword, were emphasised.

Polish official circles are extremely reticent in their comments on the speech, stating only that it contains nothing new for the solution of the present crisis.

STEADYING EFFECT

PARIS, May 15 (Reuter)—Signor Mussolini's speech is regarded in political circles as not changing the situation, but being moderate in character and likely to be welcomed internationally.

The feeling is growing here that the Anglo-Turkish declaration and the other successes of Anglo-French diplomacy is having a steadying effect on the Axis powers and causing them to reflect on their future policy.

A message from Cologne states that Herr Hitler arrived there unexpectedly to inspect in detail the western fortifications.

BAYONET CHARGES ON HOSTILE CROWDS

Anti-German Riots In Bohemia And Moravia

LONDON, May 15 (Reuter)—The Prague correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" states that anti-German demonstrations continue to be reported from various parts of Bohemia and Moravia.

Owing to the strict censorship, news often reached Prague only after a long delay.

It is now known that there was extensive rioting in Bron on May 1 when, it is stated, German soldiers and Nazi guards were compelled to charge hostile crowds with fixed bayonets.

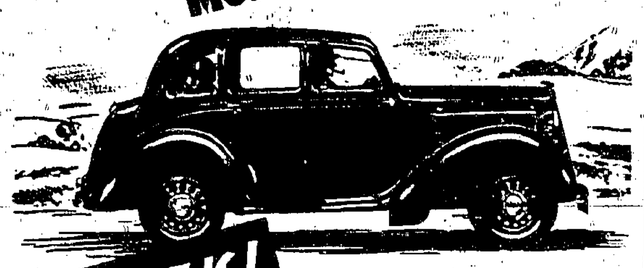
Mrs. G. A. Avramow, residing at the Peninsula Hotel, has reported the loss of a gold cigarette case, valued at £37, between the hotel and the Star Ferry wharf on Sunday morning.

• • •

Mr. Taylor, of the Central British School, lost a wrist watch and a handbag containing $37 at Taiwan Beach on Sunday.

THIS IS WHAT YOU ARE LOOKING FOR

FASTER PERFORMANCE and MORE MILES PER GALLON



HERE IT IS!

in a roomier, finer equipped 'TEN'

Here is the "Ten" that motorists have been waiting for! Its combination of livelier performance and less petrol consumption has made it the finest 10 h.p. value in existence, and has won for it the acclamation which the Motoring Correspondents reserve for a really exceptional car. If you would fully appreciate the fine qualities, the roominess and comfort and the completeness of equipment of this great new Morris "Ten," you must see it and drive it yourself! May we arrange a trial run?

O.H.V. MORRIS '10'

DODWELL & CO., LTD.

IF YOU DON'T BUY MORRIS AT LEAST BUY A CAR MADE IN THE UNITED KINGDOM

The Japan Hotel Association

MEMBER HOTELS

(58 members in all)

IN JAPAN

AKAKURA
† Akakura Kanko Hotel
ATAMI
Atami Hotel
Mampei Hotel
BEPPU (Kyushu)
Kamenoi Hotel
CHUZENJI (Nikko)
Lakeside Hotel
FUJI FIVE LAKES DISTRICT
Fuji New Grand Hotel (Lake Yamanaka)
Fuji View Hotel (Lake Kawaguchi)
FUKUOKA
Kyoshintei Hotel
GAMAGORI
Gamagori Hotel
GIFU
Nagaragawa Hotel
KAMAKURA
Kaihin Hotel
KAMIKOCHI (Japan Alps)
* Kamikochi Imperial Hotel
KARATSU (near Fukuoka)
Karatsu Seaside Hotel
KARUIZAWA
* Mampei Hotel
* Makasa Hotel
KAWANA
Kawana Hotel
KOSHIEN (midway between Osaka and Kobe)
Koshien Hotel
KOBE
Oriental Hotel
Tor Hotel
KYOTO
Kyoto Hotel
Miyako Hotel
Kyoto Station Hotel
MATSUSHIMA
* Park Hotel
MIYAJIMA
Miyajima Hotel
MIYANOSHITA (Hakone)
Fujiya Hotel
NAGOYA
Mampei Hotel
Nagoya Hotel
Nagoya Kanko Hotel
NARA
Nara Hote
NIKKO
Kanaya Hotel
OSAKA
Dobuil Hotel
Hotel New Osaka
Osaka Hotel
OTSU (near Lake Biwa)
Hotel Lake Biwa
SAPPORO (Hokkaido)
Sapporo Grand Hotel
SHIMONOSEKI
Sanyo Hotel
TAKARAZUKA (Near Kobe)
Takarazuka Hotel
TOKYO
Imperial Hotel
Mampei Hotel
Omori Hotel
† Sanno Hotel
Tokyo Railway Hotel
UNZEN
Kyushu Hotel
Shin-yu Hotel
Unzen Hotel
Unzen Kanko Hotel
Yumei Hotel
YOKOHAMA
Hotel New Grand

IN TAIWAN (Formosa)

TAIHOKU
Taihoku Railway Hote

IN CHOSEN

HEIJO
Heijo Railway Hotel
KEIJO
Chosen Hotel

IN MANCHOUKUO

DAIREN
Yamato Hotel
HARBIN
Yamato Hotel
HOSHIGATURA
Yamato Hotel
HOTEN (Mukden)
Yamato Hotel
HSINKING
Yamato Hotel

IN CHINA

TSINTAO
† Tsintao Grand Hotel

* Open in summer only.
† New members.

For information, please apply to Secretary.

The Japan Hotel Association

Care Traffic Bureau, Department of Railways, Tokyo

USE OUR SPECIAL

AEROMAIL

LETTER PAPER & ENVELOPE

AND

PAY LESS ON POSTAGE

Letter Paper ... $1.50 per 100 Sheets

Envelopes ... $1.75 per 100

ON SALE AT

HONGKONG DAILY PRESS

15-19, Queen's Road, Central. Telephone 30251.

ANNUAL INSPECTION OF AMBULANCE BRIGADE

(Continued from Page 1)

The year 1938 offered the Brigade some unusual opportunities of service to the public and, as all its many friends would expect, the Brigade answered very well to the call. Chief amongst those demands for its help was the emergency set up by the flood of refugees which poured into this Colony in November last year when a considerable Japanese force was active on the Anglo-Chinese border.

VALUABLE ASSISTANCE

On that occasion I was able to see with my own eyes the prompt and valuable assistance which men and women members of the Hongkong branch of the St. John Ambulance Brigade rendered to those unfortunate people.

Included among their activities were the rendering of first aid to the wounded and to the many sick refugees who collapsed along the road. At the various refugee camps St. John's helpers, both in the way of nurses and men, were always to be found on duty and subsequently the Brigade formed a most useful and courageous unit at Shum Chun where for several weeks inestimable service was rendered to the many sick and suffering among the refugees who were at that centre.

STUCK TO THEIR POSTS

They stood by their post to the end and when Shum Chun was bombed by the Japanese they were still able to help the doctors in evacuating sick and wounded people. The Young Women's Christian Association Division deserves especial mention in this connection.

The Brigade's help was also to the fore in vaccination, the provision of food and transportation, both in the way of ambulances and lorries; finally I would mention the charitable help given by the Brigade in the many cases of child-birth which occurred among the refugees: these last were looked after at the New Territories Maternity Centres. In short, the Brigade has every reason to be proud of what it did for China during those troublous months.

But the services of the Brigade have not been confined to those who have come beyond our border to take refuge in our country. Among this Colony's population in vaccination work, anti-cholera inoculation, the enumeration and classification of street sleepers and in other forms of social service the Brigade has been active; and as Governor I take this opportunity of thanking those who have given this valuable help.

TERRITORIAL BASIS

I am very glad to learn that the numbers of the Brigade have increased so rapidly. I am sure that it is very clearly in the minds of those who are responsible for that recruitment that it must proceed on a territorial basis, that is to say, as far as possible each sub-district should produce enough St. John's workers to provide for the needs of that sub-district; for in time of emergency it would not be possible for a member living, say, in Wanchai to turn out at his post if that post were in Kennedy Town.

The aim, I know, of the Brigade's organizers is to provide a sufficient number of trained personnel to staff all the First Aid posts and casualty stations in the Colony. That is a high ambition and I can assure those organizers that Government is both grateful for their intention and desirous of helping them to achieve it.

FIRST AID OFFICER

There is one step which is now in contemplation and will, I hope, be taken very shortly and that is to appoint a Government officer who will have the sole duty of organising the First Aid arrangements of the Colony. The intention is to attach him to the staff of the Director of Medical Services, but he will work very closely with the Air Raid Precautions Officer and will look to St. John's to provide him with the large personnel that will be necessary. I have every confidence that the St. John Association and Brigade authorities will co-operate in that scheme.

Last year I appealed to the public in general to continue and to increase the support which they have given to the St. John Ambulance Brigade in Hongkong. The appeal was not unsuccessful as our subscription list was maintained in spite of many calls by other deserving causes; but it did not succeed in enlarging that list. I hope that the Brigade's friends will recognise the Brigade's increasing needs consequent upon its growth and will subscribe accordingly.

MUNIFICENT GIFT

I take this opportunity of publicly rendering the thanks of the Association and Brigade to Mr. Fok Chi-ting for his munificent gift of the Ambulance which I formally accepted just now.

As most sympathizers with St. John's aims and activities are aware, a St. John's Committee was formed by me last year to consider certain problems attendant upon our development. I appointed that committee as President of the Association and its report has gone home to the Chancery in St. John's Gate. Until the decision of the Council, which is an advisory body of the Chapter-General, is known, it would not be suitable for me to speak in detail of what that report contains; but I can say that it contained much of value to the local Association and Brigade and I take this opportunity of expressing publicly my gratitude to its members for the time and pains which they devoted to their labours.

It now only remains for me to renew my congratulations to you on your work in 1938, offering them especially to the recipients of Distinguished Service Medals, and to wish the Brigade all good luck and success in the year 1939.

PRESENTATIONS

His Excellency also made the following presentation:—

Chapter General Awards:—Long Service Medals:—District officer A. el Arculli, Corps Surgeon J. E. Dovey, Div. Surgeon Ma Chiu-ki, Div. Supt. Tse Long-chiu, Ambulance Officer Chan Sik-pui, Ambulance Officer Yau Pak-tung, Pte. Leung Fan—Railway Division, Pte. Lo Mo-yu, Pte. Lam Hon-cheung.

COMPETITIONS

Ambulance Divisions

Ralph's Shield—Y.M.C.A.

Savage Memorial Cup. (Runners up of) South China Athletic Association Div.

Mok Cho-chuen Cup. (First Aid) (1) Y.M.C.A.

Lau Chu-pak Duty Cup—Transport Section.

Li Shu-fan Cup. (Meritorious Service)—Mongkok.

Wong Kwong-tin Vaccination Cup.—Mongkok.

Holyoak—Attendance.—Railway.

Ho Fook Efficiency, Railway.

Nursing Divisions

Ho Kom-tong Nursing Shield—Victoria Nursing Div.

Edith Kotewall Shield (First Aid)—Victoria Nursing Div.

Woo Wai-tak Duty Cup—Y.W.C.A. and Man Shuen.

Shenton Cup (Best financial and General Assistance to the Brigade)—King's College Nursing Div.

WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., May 15.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.91 ins.
Temperature, 77F.
Humidity, 68 per cent.
Wind Direction, E/S
Wind Force (Beaufort), 5.
Temperature, maximum yesterday, 82 F.
Temperature, minimum last night, 73 F.
Rainfall for 24 hours ending 10th to-day, nil.
Total rainfall since January 1st, 24.83 ins.
Against an average of, 15.40 ins.
Sunset to-night, 6.55 p.m.
Sunrise to-morrow, 5.43 a.m.

4 p.m., May 15.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.84 ins.
Temperature, 74 F.
Humidity, 78 per cent.
Wind Direction, E.
Wind Force (Beaufort), 5.
Maximum temperature, 79 F.
Minimum temperature, 73 F.
Rainfall, nil.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 16 May to 22 1939

		High Water.		Low Water.	
Days of Week.	Date of Month.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Tues.	16	07 09	5 9	00 52	2 4
		19 44	4 8	13 55	2 5
Wed	17	07 34	6 4	01 27	2 5
		20 38	4 9	14 36	1 8
Thur.	18	08 06	6 9	02 01	2 6
		21 30	4 9	15 17	1 2
Fri.	19	08 41	7 3	02 34	2 7
		22 23	4 8	15 58	0 8
Sat.	20	09 21	7 6	03 07	2 8
		23 14	4 7	16 41	0 5
Sun.	21	10 02	7 8	03 40	2 0
		—	—	17 28	0 4
Mon.	22	00 07	4 6	04 18	2 1
		10 46	7 8	18 17	0 4

POST OFFICE NOTICE

Acme Trading Co., Agency of the Asiatic Co., Johs Albeck, The Aquarius Co., Ltd., Atkins Kroll & Co., Otto Berkowitsch, N. N. Broudastoff, R. A. Button, Messrs. A. Charles, Chen Tien En, Cheney Battery Co., Cherrak Manufacturing, China Ticket, Cork Insulation Co., W. M. Cunningham, B. Davie, W. H. Dobson, Mrs. C. M. Drummond, Eathas Trading Co., Dominick Fabian, Messrs. W. J. Garcia Ltd., Yee Yow Yeung, Miss E. M. Hill, Mrs. Florence Ho, Hou Goon c/o Hang Fong Yuen, Java China Trading Co., Mrs. Hugh King, Messrs. Koo Chin Kee & Sons, H. M. Kwan, Luis Larghi, Messrs. Lee San Hong, W. S. Leonard (Weirton Steel Co.), Leung Wing Sing, K. Y. Lin, Lo In Nin (Chip Kee Transportation Co.), Luen Hop Cheong, Mrs. C. T. Miles c/o Dr. C. T. Miles, C. L. Nayar, Ngai Cheong Iron & Copper Foundry, T. McNiven, Oriental Advertising Agency, Liusa B. de Ortelli, V. Philipov (s.s. Nils Moller), Miss M. W. Phillips, c/o Everett Travel Agency, Poon Pui Mang, Richard Shein, Mrs. R. Shiles, J. Sianglo (Butterfly Cafe), Gordon Sinclair, Mrs. D. F. Soares, K. Solomon & Co., Sun Kee & Co., Three Star Trading Co., Gordon E. Torrey, Universal Metal Works, Wonderlight Factory, Wong Tit Fai, Miss Patty Wu, Yee Sai Wo, Yee Wah & Co., You Seun Co., Yung Tsow Pong c/o Mrs. L. K. San, c/o C. E. Richardson & Co.

REGISTERED ARTICLES

Chenah Manufacturing Co., Eastern Bazaar, Tung Fong Hat Shop.

GAOL FOR BANKNOTE SNATCHER

A 17-year-old youth was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. T. J. Houston, at the Central Court, yesterday, for the theft of $800 Canton Bank notes.

Mr. Li Hi-leung was counting out $1,243 Canton currency to be changed into Hongkong money at the Sing Hang Money Changer's shop, Des Voeux Road west. He counted $800 and placed them on the counter when the defendant, Lau Kwong, snatched up the banknotes and ran away. He was chased and arrested by a shop foki.

DEWAR'S "White Label"

The Right Label

GENUINE SCOTCH THAT NEVER VARIES!

SOLE AGENTS:

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

WINE DEPT. TEL. 20616.

NACET BLADES

"NACET" REGD. TRADE MARK

MADE IN ENGLAND

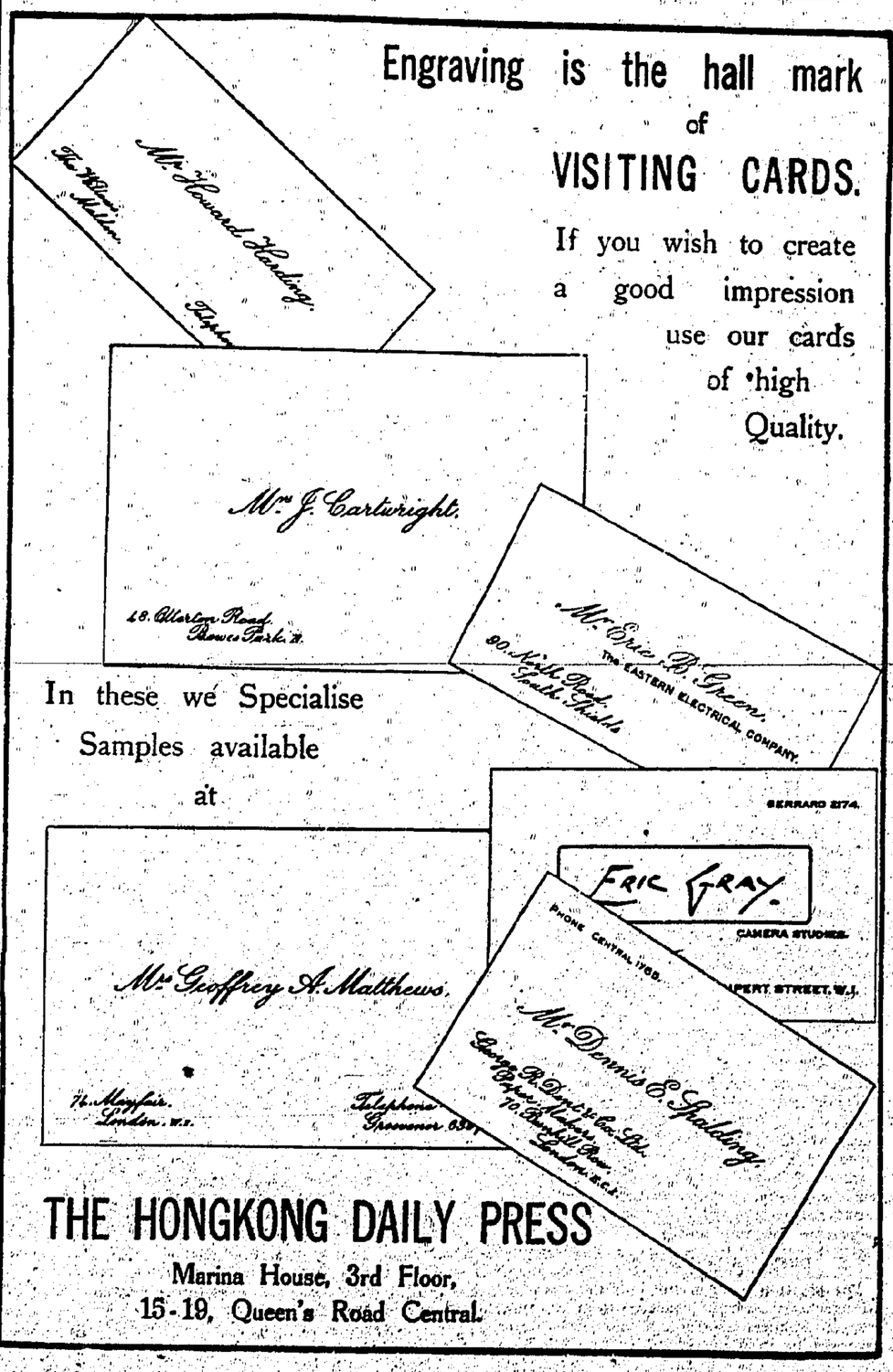
Nacet, beyond any question are, pre-eminent among low-priced blades. Their quality is something apart, and the extra keenness of their edges, and the extra number of clean, smooth shaves they give, cannot fail to appeal to everyone to whom the utmost economy in shaving is a matter of importance.

FOR THREE PEG RAZORS

H3

Engraving is the hall mark of VISITING CARDS.

If you wish to create a good impression use our cards of high Quality.



In these we Specialise

Samples available at

THE HONGKONG DAILY PRESS

Marina House, 3rd Floor,

15-19, Queen's Road Central.

Finance and Commerce

Developments At Kaifeng More Important Than The Encirclement Of Canton

KAIFENG, capital of Honan Province, which passed into oblivion over ten months ago following its capture by the Japanese, is again prominent in news dispatches.

Three successful attacks on the city by the Chinese forces in the past ten days have aroused wide-spread interest both in China and abroad. The raids have not only been held by neutral observers as indicative of the marked growth of Chinese fighting strength but also of the weakening of the Japanese army. At Kaifeng, the precautions taken by the Japanese following Chinese successes have failed to mend the vulnerability of one of their most important outposts.

Reviewing the progess made by the Chinese army in which over 80 cities and towns recovered during the last half month, the "Ta Kung Pao" commented that a continuous string of small Chinese victories will finally lead to a counter-offensive on all fronts. From this standpoint, the happy tidings of recent Chinese successes were of great significance

MORE SIGNIFICANT

Commenting on the Chinese successes, the "London Times" wrote that it would be as great a mistake to minimise as to exaggerate their importance. "Besides giving proof, which is hardly needed, to the excellence of China's spirit after two years of shattering reverses, the new offensive show evidence of careful preparation and co-ordination."

The journal regarded the developments at Kaifeng as being more significant than the encirclement of Canton because of its effect upon Japan's hopes of establishing Marshal Wu Pei-fu's offices there.

Kaifeng first came into the limelight recently when a Reuter's message told of the killing, almost in its entirety, of the Kaifeng puppet "Pacification Committee" while they were holding a meeting.

While considerable interest was being aroused over this biggest single "bag" of traitors, reports of successful Chinese attacks on the city were received. Chinese forces first penetrated into the city on the morning of April 11. They withdrew the same evening upon the arrival of Japanese reinforcements.

At dawn the following day, however, Chinese forces made a fresh assault, bursting into the southern part of the city and engaging the enemy in fierce street-fighting.

Some 600 or 700 of the Japanese perished, a munitions dump was blown up, and the water-tower destroyed, with the result that the city was swamped in a deluge of water.

MASTER STROKE

Commenting on the attack, a highly placed neutral observer interviewed by a Reuter correspondent in Shanghai, described it as a "master stroke from a political and psychological point of view."

He was quoted as saying: "Kaifeng is an important Japanese military base and the Japanese once they receive reinforcements will be able to hold it. For the moment I would credit the Chinese with a big tactical rather than military success."

The Japanese action in rushing huge numbers of reinforcements to the city was characterized by a radio commentator the next day as a "shutting of the stable door after the horse has been stolen."

The third successful attack was launched by the Chinese forces on the morning of April 20 when the Kaifeng railway station and the west gate were captured and held till dawn.

DRUM—TOWER

Kaifeng is famous for several things. There is the drum-tower, whereon are written in four immense character "Sound Shakes Heaven's Centre." According to legend, the characters were written by a 14-year-old boy who took up the huge brush laid out for aspirants to try their skill. Having written the four words, he is said to have straightway fallen dead from exhausion.

Kaifeng is noted for its earth-salt which forms a natural deposit on the surface of the ground like a frosty powder at two places within the wide confines of the city. The inhabitants, who call it "little salt," gather it from "salinas" similar to those of South America There is also the famous, 13-story high Iron Pagoda at the northeast corner of the city Built in the Sung dynasty (A. D. 960-1126), the pagoda is known for its glazed tiles, and for the striking iron buddha that tops the structure

Kaifeng was for several dynasties the capital of China and first made a capital by the feudal state of Wei during the latter period of the Chou dynasty (1122 B. C.—249 B. C.) and was for the last time the capital of China during the Sung dynasty (A. D. 960-1126). When in 1125 the Kin Tartars captured all north China and drove the Sung dynasty south of the Yangtze, Kaifeng was named Nan king or South Capital of the Tartar Empire in the North.

WORLD'S SUGAR USE PER CAPITA DECLINES

World per capita consumption of sugar during the year ended Aug. 31, 1938, amounted to 31.1 pounds as compared with 32.3 pounds in the previous year, a decrease of 1.2 pounds or 3.7 per cent, according to a survey made by Lamborn's Statistical Department.

"Ten years go the per capita consumption was 30 pounds. Since then it fell to 27.7 pounds in 1933, and then steadily climbed to its peak of 32.3 pounds in 1937. In 1938 world per capita consumption receded for the first time since 1933.

INCREASE IN PROFIT

William Powell's Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of Messrs. William Powell, Limited, was held at the offices of the Bank of Canton Building yesterday.

An abnormal year of trading conditions was recorded in the chairman's report, which also stated that an increase of about $5,000 over last year's profit was realised.

Mr. E. M. Raymond presided and among those present at the meeting were Messrs. J. H. Seth and H. Overy (Directors), J. T. Bagram, S. H. Ross, P. A. Yvanovich (Shareholders), and D. Black (Secretary).

CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

Addressing the meeting, the Chairman said:—

Your Directors are pleased to place before you the result of the year's trading which you will observe shows an increase in profit of approximately $5,000 over last year, and I hope shareholders will approve the recommendation to pay a Dividend and bonus.

NOT OVER-STOCKED

I do not think the accounts call for particular comment, but I would draw your attention to the increase in stocks on hand and goods in transit. This increase is necessary to keep pace with the turnover and your Directors are of the opinion that we are not over-stocked.

Sundry Debtors are higher by $3,000 and this again is accounted for by increased sales. Full provision has been made for Doubtful Debts and the greater portion of the amount shown has been collected.

On the liability side of the Balance Sheet Sundry Creditors are less by approximately $2,300 than at February 28, 1938 and the amount due for Trade and sundries has since been paid off.

THE STAFF

Mr. Overy was due for leave this year, but postponed it in view of the changes in our staff and I am sure shareholders will appreciate this action. While on the subject of the Staff I should like shareholders to know that a new cutter has been engaged and is proving a success.

It is early to give any indication of our trading for the current year but I would warn shareholders against too optimistic a view because the financial year just closed was abnormal.

HEALTHY FINANCES

In conclusion I should like to add that our finances are in a healthy state and if normal conditions obtain we can look forward to a bright future.

I now propose the following resolution:—

"That the Reports and Accounts as presented including the payment of a dividend of 20 cents a share and a bonus of 5 cents a share, the transfer of $10,000 to General Reserve be adopted and passed."

This resolution was seconded by Mr. S. H. Ross, and passed unanimously.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. J. H. Seth was then re-elected a director for the current year on the proposal of Mr. J. T. Bagram, seconded by Mr. H. Overy, while Messrs. Linstead and Davis were re-elected auditors on the motion of Mr. Ross seconded by Mr. P. A. Yvanovich.

LANE, CRAWFORD LIMITED

Subject to audit, the accounts for the year ended February 28, 1939, show a profit of $188,259.27, to which must be added the carry forward from last year of $66,983.48, making a total of $255,242.75.

At the forthcoming meeting of shareholders, to be held on Saturday, May 27, the Directors will recommend as follows:—

Transfer to General Reserve	$50,000.00
Transfer to Staff Passages and Contingencies Account	4,429.32
Dividend at the rate of 8 per cent	60,000.00
Bonus to Staff	9,857.91
Write off Bakery Plant	50,000.00
Carry forward to next account	80,955.52
	$255,242.75

HE MADE A MOUSE MACHINE!

In Germany, the Nazis are even making the stray cats work to help the four-year plan to success—driving them all into the great new granaries to protect the harvests against rats.

But they are behind the times somewhat. And not half so ingenious as the Scots manufacturer who planned, many years ago, to run his mill with mice!

David Hutton, a Dunfermline thread manufacturer, discovered that a mouse imprisoned in a little revolving cage could make a wheel turn, and one mouse in five weeks produced 3,350 threads, twenty-five inches long.

Calculating that each mouse could make him a profit of six shillings and threepence per year, Hutton decided to employ some thousands of mice in the threadmaking business.

He even got as far as renting Dunfermline Abbey as a factory.

Unfortunately for the experiment he died before his plan could be carried out.

But the Nazis' cats certainly have nothing on this idea!

ANOTHER BIG ORDER FOR BRITAIN

ISTANBUL, May 15 (Reuter)—The Government has granted British firms a contract for 300 rail trucks valued at £500,000, following a recent order for locomotives valued at £1,000,000.

RETAIL HARDWARE SALES OFF

Sales of 1,973 independent retail hardware stores in 38 states in March showed an average decline of 0.1 per cent as compared with volume for the like month last year, according to figures published in Hardware Age.

Comparing February, 1939, sales with those of the previous month there was an average decline of 3.1 per cent.

Based on figures from 1,973 stores in 38 states the report showed a total volume of $6,079,864 for the reporting stores in February, 1939, compared with a volume of $6,086,823 in February, 1938. January, 1939, sales for those stores totalled $6,274,718.

SOVIET - POLISH TRADE TALKS

WARSAW, May 15 (T/Ocean)—The Polish Vice-Foreign Minister, M. Seiciszevski, will visit Moscow in the near future for trade negotiations, it is announced in the newspaper "ABC." It is believed that his mission will be to arrange for an export of the Polish iron and steel products to the Soviet Union and the import of Soviet raw materials.

Industrial Co-Operatives For Crippled Soldiers

CHUNGKING, May 13 (Central)—Through the efforts of the Chinese Industrial Co-operatives, 200 crippled soldiers in a Southern Kiangsi town are earning a living as workers in co-operatives.

This is one of the recent developments of the Chinese Industrial Co-operatives which aims to train the nation's thousands of incapacitated soldiers so that they will be less dependent upon the Government for support both during and after the war. In this little Kiangsi town, the first in China to have Crippled Soldiers' Co-operatives, four units have been started. The organization of these co-operatives has partially answered a long-felt need on the part of Chinese officials to find some way to make crippled soldiers productive while they are being helped by governmental relief.

BRISK BUSINESS

The printing co-operative in the Kiangsi town, entirely operated by crippled soldiers, is doing a brisk business. Its work has been greatly accelerated by the establishment of a new paper co-operative, a new publishing co-operative and several refugee schools in the same town.

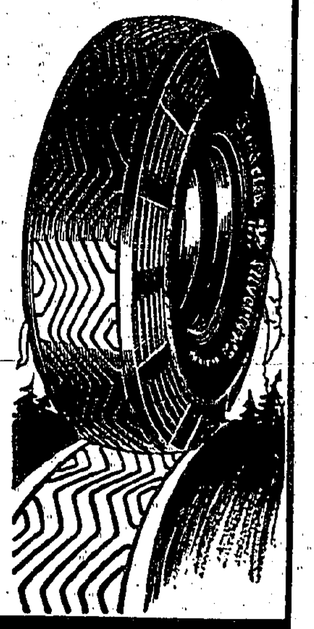
The other industrial co-operatives for crippled soldiers in that district include a tobacco co-operative, a chemical co-operative and a tailoring co-operative, all of which meet heavy local demands. New soldiers' co-operatives for making leather, ramie, alcohol, and paper are being organized while one for gold mining directed by an engineer who is being paid part time by the China Industrial Co-operatives will shortly start its work.

The officials of the China Industrial Co-operatives believe that industrial co-operatives, that deal with light industries, afford the best outlet for the energies and abilities of the wounded men.

NEW KIND OF TIRE STOPS QUICKER IS SAFER ON WET SLIPPERY ROADS

Here's a new Goodrich tire with a tread that gives you the greatest protection against skidding that you've ever had on your car.

This new Lifesaver Tread is actually a road dryer. Its never ending spiral bars, acting like a battery of windshield wipers sweep water right and left, force it out through the deep grooves. The rubber grips a dryer, safer surface, stops your car quicker than you've ever stopped before.



The new Goodrich SAFETY Silvertown

Sole Importers for China and Hongkong: CARLOWITZ & CO. Bank of China Bldg. Tel. 31225.
Local Distributors: KA FOONG TIRE CO. 131, Hennessy Road. Tel. 24140.

KIRIN BEER

The Choice of The Multitude

Sole Agents:— H. HONDA & CO.
Tel. 20720. 40, Johnston Road, Hong Kong.

HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS AND CHINA OVERLAND TRADE REPORT.

ILLUSTRATED

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY

FULL REPORTS OF LOCAL NEWS, SPORTS, GOSSIP, TRADE, ETC.

30 CENTS A COPY

HONGKONG DAILY PRESS, LTD.
MARINE HOUSE (3RD FLOOR) 16-19, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. TEL. 30251.

LAMMERTS' AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions

TO SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION

ON

THURSDAY, the 18th MAY, 1939

Commencing at 2.30 p.m.

At their Sales Room, No. 35, Hankow Road, Kowloon.

Comprising:—

Teakwood Dining Room, Bed Room, Drawing Room and Office Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Ornaments, Cutlery, Porcelain, Glass, Brass and E. P. Ware, Gramophones and Records, Electric Table Lamps and Fans, Pictures, Cooking Utensils, etc., etc.

also

A FEW PIECES OF BLACKWOOD FURNITURE

and

One Radio Set

On VIEW from WEDNESDAY, the 17th MAY, 1939.

TERMS:—Cash on Delivery

LAMMERT BROS., AUCTIONEERS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions

TO SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION

ON

FRIDAY, the 19th MAY, 1939

Commencing at 2.30 p.m.

At their Sales Room, No. 2 Connaught Road, Central, Ground Floor.

Comprising:—

Teakwood and Iron Bedsteads, Cots, Divans, Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, Chamber Stands, Chests of Drawers, Chesterfield Suites, Sideboards, Dinner and Tea Waggons, Dining Tables, Chairs, Ice Chests, Flower Stands, Desks, Typewriter Tables, Filing and Glass Cabinets, Ornaments, Cutlery, Dinner Crockery, Glasses, Brass and E. P. Ware, Electric Fans and Lamps, Gramophones and Records, Rugs, Cooking Utensils and Stove, etc., etc.

also

A FEW PIECES OF BLACKWOOD FURNITURE

and

2 Radio Sets
3 Canvas Canoes
1 Surf Board
1 "Singer" Sewing Machine
1 "Corona" Portable Typewriter
1 "Royal" Portable Typewriter
1 "Bar-Let" Portable Typewriter
1 "Underwood" Typewriter

On VIEW from THURSDAY, the 18th MAY, 1939.

TERMS:—Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS., AUCTIONEERS.

A Job? Consult the WANT ADS

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

MAY 15, 1939

On London:—
Telegraphic Transfer. 1/2 23/32
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 23/32
Credits 4 months' sight 1/3
On Shanghai:—
On demand 178
On Singapore:—
On demand 52 5/8
On Japan:—
On demand 105 1/8
On India:—
Telegraphic Transfer. and demand 81 7/8
On New York:—
Bank Bills, on demand 28 11/16
Credits, 60 days' sight 29 3/16
On Batavia:—
On demand 53 1/4
On Paris:—
Bank Bills, on demand 1083
Credits 4 months' sight 1125
On Saigon:—
On demand 108
On Manila:—
On demand 57 5/8
On Bangkok:—
On demand 151
Sterling Notes:—
Bank Buying Rate ... 1/2 29/32
Bar Silver per oz. 20 1/16

Market Report

FROM ROZA BROS

Silver prices were unchanged over the week-end the quotations being 20 1/16 for Ready and 19 7/8 for Forward. Silver advices reported the market as being steady with a small Indian demand. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 468.12. New York/London was quoted at 468.1/8.

Market

Quiet.

Sterling

A small business was reported at 1/2.27/32 for near and 1/2.13/16 for October delivery. The market closed with sellers at 1/2.13/16 May/September, probably October and 1/2.25/32 November/December, buyers at 1/2.27/32 Cash/October and 1/2.13/16 November/December.

U.S. Dollars

There were sellers at 28 7/8 May/June, 28 13/16 July/August and 28 3/4 September, buyers at 28 15/16 May/first half June, 28 7/8 July/first half August, and 28 13/16 September.

Shanghai Dollars

179 3/4 for Spot.

Shanghai Market

Sellers of Sterling at 8.1/4 for Spot and U.S.$ at 16 1/16 for Spot.

AFTERNOON MARKET

Steady.

Sterling

The market finished with sellers at 1/2.27/32 Cash, 1/2.13/16 June/October and 1/2.25/32 November/December, buyers at 1/2.7/8 Cash, 1/2.27/32 June/October and 1/2.13/16 November/December.

U.S. Dollars

The market closed with sellers at 28 15/16 for cash, 28 7/8 May, probably June, 28 13/16 July/August and 28 3/4 September, buyers at 29 for cash, 28 15/16 probably first half of June, 28 7/8 July/August and 28 13/16 September.

Shanghai Dollars

179 3/4 sellers.

Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, May 13 (Reuter).

	Opening
London	0/8
New York	15-5/8
Japan	56-7/8
Paris	5.48
Hongkong	53-3/8

Open Market—Selling Rates

Sterling

	Opening	Closing
Spot	0/8-1/4	0/8-1/4
May	0/8-7/32	0/8-15/64
June	0/8-11/64	0/8-3/16
July	0/8-1/8	0/8-1/8

U.S. Dollars

Spot	$16-1/16	$16-1/16
May	15-1/32	15-1/32
June	15-29/32	15-15/16
July	15-13/16	15-13/16

Market:—Quiet but steady.

Merchant Rates

Sterling, 0/8-7/32.
Dollars, $16.

Silver Duty Rate

The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. to-day was 1/2-1/2d, unchanged from Saturday.

The Equalisation rate was 5½ per cent.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

Wharves, Providents, Hotels and Watsons changed hands in fair blocks during the day, whilst Docks, Electrics, Trams, Dairy Farms Ex Rights, Dairy Farms Rights, also attracted some attention though on a slightly smaller scale. With buyers and sellers being fairly evenly balanced, prices remained steady.

BUYERS

Hongkong Bank, $1350.
Union Ins., $430.
H.K. Fire Ins., $180.
H.K. & K. Wharves, $106.
H.K. Docks, $17½.
Humphreys, 7.80.
H.K. Tramways, $16¾.
Star Ferries, $85½.
China Lights (O), $8.40.
H.K. Electrics, $56.
Telephones (N), $7½.
Canton Ices, $1.
Cements, $12¾.
H.K. Ropes, $3.65.
Dairy Farms Ex Rts., $21¼.
Dairy Farms Rts., $15¾.
Watsons, $7.90.
Wing On (H.K.) $41.
Entertainments, $6.55.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 3¾% prem.
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan par.
Macao Electrics, $16.60.

SELLERS

H. & S. Hotels, $5.85.
China Lights (N), $5.60.
Watsons, $8.
Macao Electrics, $17.
H. & S. Hotels, $5¾.
Humphreys, $7.80.

SALES

Hongkong Bank, $1355.
H.K. & K. Wharves, $107.
H.K. Docks, $17½.
H. & S. Hotels, $5¾.
Humphreys, $7.80.
H.K. Tramways, $16.70/60.
H.K. Electrics, $56½.
Sandakan Lights, $12½.
Dairy Farms Ex Rts., $21¼.
Dairy Farms Rts., $15¾.
Watsons, $8/7.95.

PHILLIPPINE MINING QUOTATIONS

	Centavos
Antamoks	30
Baguio Gold	24½
Benguet Consolidated	11.80
Coco Grove	37
I. X. L.	53
San Mauricio	1.06
United Paracale	59
Itogon	23
North Camarines	42½

PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING QUOTATIONS

Monday, May 15, 1939.

	Centavos
Antamoks	30
Baguio Gold	24½
Benguet Consolidated	11.80
Coco Grove	37
Itogon	23
I. X. L.	53
San Mauricio	1.06
United Paracale	59
North Camarines	42½

Market Comment—Quiet.

HONGKONG SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

on Monday, May 15, 1939.

Telephones (O)	300	$24.00
Trams	200	16.60
Trams	100	16.70
China Lights (O)	544	8.50
China Lights (N)	200	5.50
Electrics	50	56.25
Lands	40	34.00

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATION

MAY 14, 1939

STOCKS	Last Sale May 13	STOCKS	Last Sale May 13
Adams Express	7½	Int. Tel. & Tel.	7
Alleghany Steel Co.	16½	Johns Manville	71
Allied Stores	7¾	J. & Laughlin Steel $7 pfd.	38*
Allis Chalmers	33¾	Kennecott Copper	31¾
Amerada Corpn.	—	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	43¾
Amer. Can	86½	Lockheed Aircraft	25¾
Amer. & Foreign Power	2½	Loew's Inc.	43¾
Ameri & Foreign $7 pf.	17¾	Manhattan Shirt Co.	—
American Gas & Elec.	33¾	Martin, Glen L.	35¾
Amer. Locomotive	17½	McKesson, Robbins	13
Amer. Metals Co.	28	Monsanto Chemical	98 *
Amer. Radiator	12	Montgomery Ward	48½
Amer. Rolling Mill	14 *	Nat. Dairy Products	14¾
Amer. S'ting and R'ing Co.	41	Nat. Distillers	—
Amer. Sugar R'ing	19	National Gypsum	12
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	161¾	National Lead	19½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	80½	Nat. Power & Light	7¾
Amer. Waterworks	9¾	National Steel Corp.	60¾
Anaconda Copper	24	Nat. Supply Corpn.	8¾
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	28½	New York Central	14¾
Auburn Motors	—	Niagara Hudson Power	6¾
Baltimore & Ohio	5¼	N. American Aviation	15¾
Barber Asphalt Co	13¾*	North American Co.	21½
Barnsdall Oil	14	Northern Pacific	8¾
Bendix Aviation	22	Pacific Gas & Elec.	30¼*
Bethlehem Steel	56	Pacific Lighting	46 *
Bliss & Co.	10½*	Packard Motors	3¾
Boeing Airplane Co.	22½	Paramount Pictures	8¾
Borg-Warner	23¾	Pennsylvania R.R.	18
Biggs M'facturing	20¾	Phelps-Dodge	31¾
Brooklyn-M'hattan Trans.	—	Phillips Petroleum	35¼
B'klyn-M'hattan $6 cum pf.	—	Public Service of N.J.	35½
Canadian Pacific R'way.	4½	Pullman Inc.	26¾
Case, J.I.	—	Pure Oil	7¾
Celanese	17¾	Radio Corpn. of Am.	6½
Chesapeake & Ohio	32¾	Republic Steel	15½
Chrysler Corpn.	67½	Reynold Tobac. "B"	36¾
Columbia Gas & El.	6¼	Richfield Oil	8½
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	85¾	Safeway Stores	38¼
Commercial	45	Schenley Distillers	—
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	1¼	Schenley, 5½% pfd.	71
C'wealth & S. 6% cum pf.	59	Sears Roebuck	72½
Consolidated Edison	31½	Seversky Aircraft	3¾
Consolidated Oil	7½	Shell Union Oil	11 *
Continental Can	36¾	Socony-Vacuum Oil	12
Continental Oil	23	Southern Pacific	13
Corn Products	57¾	Southern Rly $5 pfd.	20¾
Curtiss Wright (C.)	5¾	Sperry	42½
Curtiss Wright "A"	25¾	Standard Brands	6¼
Deere & Co.	19¾	Stand Gas & Elec.	3¼*
Distillers Corpn. Seagrams	18	Standard Oil of California	25¾
Douglas Aircraft	63½	Standard Oil of N.J.	46½
Du Pont de Nemours	142¾	Stone & Webster	—
Eagle Picher Lead	8½*	Swift International	27½
Eaton Mfg. Co.	22	Technicolor	16½*
Elec. Autolite	29¾	Texas Corpn.	37¾
Elec. Bond & Share	8	Texas Gulf Sulphur	23¼*
Elec. Bond & Share $5 pf.	—	Trans-America Co.	5¾
Elec. Bond & Share $6 pf.	62¾	20th Cent. Fox.	20½
Elec. Power & Light $7 pf.	—	20th Cent. Fox. $1½ pf.	—
Flintkote	19¾*	Union Carbide & Carbon	74
Food Machinery Corp.	27½	Union Pacific	94
Gen. American Trans.	46	United Aircraft	37¾
Gen. Electric	34¾	United Airlines Trans.	—
Gen. Motors	42¾	United Corpn.	2½
Gen. Railway Signal	16¾*	United Corpn. $3 cum pf.	—
Glidden Co.	—	United Gas Corpn.	2
Goodrich (B.F.)	17	United Gas Improvement	12¾
Goodrich $5 pf.	—	U.S. Rubber	38
Goodyear Tire & Co.	26¾	U.S. Rubber $8 pfd.	98¾
Great Northern Iron Ore	13½*	U.S. Steel	46¾
Great Northern Rly. pfd.	20¾	Vanadium	19½
Great Western Sugar	—	Warner Bros. Pict.	5
Greyhound Corpn.	18¾	Westinghouse Elec.	91
Hecker Products	11¾	Woodward Iron Cor.	16½
Homestake Mining	66	Chase National Bank	32*
Industrial Rayon	19¾*	National City Bank	25¼*
International Harvester	58½		
Int. Nickel	48½		

*—bid. ‡—ex. div.

DOW JONES AVERAGE

1939 High	1939 Low			May 12, High	May 12, Low	May 13, High	May 13, Close	Change
154.85	121.44	30	Industrials	132.16	132.78	132.21	132.40	.24 up
34.33	24.14	20	Rails	27.13	27.36	27.28	27.32	.19 up
26.52	20.71	20	Utilities	23.17	23.25	23.19	23.23	.06 up
92.22	87.08	40	Bonds	88.81			88.74	.07 off
49.12	45.59	11	Commodity Index	49.20			48.51	.31 up

Business Done:—160,000 shares

HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE

Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	MONDAY 15, MAY.	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
$1350	...	$1355		H.K. Banks	...	...	$1355	
...	...	...	...	Do. (Col. Reg.)	...	...	...	
...	...		£84	Do. (Lon. Reg.)	...	...	...	£84
...	...	...	£7¾	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£84
		..	$27	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£7¼
...	...	...	£13	Mercantile Bks. "C"	...	...	...	£27¾
.	...	..	$80	Bank of East Asia	...	...	...	£13
...				N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	$80
				Insurances				
...	...	...	$340	Canton Insurances	...	...	C.D.	$230
...	...	...	$437½	Union Insurances	$1.35		...	
...	...	..	$1.30	Underwriters		...	...	$437½
$180	...	...		H.K. Fires			...	$180
				Shipping				
...	...	...	$67	Douglases	$67	...	..	...
..	...		$15	Steamboats	...		...	$15
.	...	..	$60	Indo-Chinas (Pref.)	...	...	..	$50
...		..	$34	Indo-Chinas (Def.)	...	..	.	$20
...	...	..	83/1½	Shells	...	...	...	83/1½
...	...	...	$8.40	Waterboats	...	...	...	$8.40
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
$104	...	$105		H.K. & K. Wharves			...	$104
$4¾	$4.95	$4¾		Providents	$4¾	...	...	
			...	Providents (new)	...		...	..
$17½	...	...	...	H.K. & W. Docks	$17½	$17¾	..	
...		...		Do. (new)	...	...	...	
...			$107	Shanghai Docks S.	...	...	...	$101
..	...	..	$7½	New Engineerings S.	...	..	.	$6½
				Mining				
...	...	...	19/6	Kailans		...	...	19/6
...	...	...	$8.16	Raubs	$8.10	...	...	
...		...	$3	Venezuela Gold Fds			...	$3
...	...	...	4 cts.	Hong Kong Mines	...	..	.	...
				Lands, Hotels and Buildings				
...	...	...		H.K. Hotels	$5¾	...	...	-
$5¾	$5.85	5¾/5.80	...	H.K. Lands S.	$34	...		..
$34½	...		...	Do. 4% Debentures			...	$1 4
...	...	...	$100	Shanghai Lands S.		...		..
...	...	..	$8.80	H.K. Realties	$4½	...	...	
$4.45	..	...	...	Humphreys	$7½	...	...	..
$7¾		...	...	Chinese Estates	...	..	...	...
...	...	...	$102	**Cotton Mills**				
...	...	...	$18.70	Ewo (S.)	...	...	...	$18.70
..	...	...	$112	S'hai Cottons (S.)	..	...	...	$113
...	...	...	$30	Zoong Sings (S.)	..	..	...	$42
...	...	...	$40	Wing On Textiles (S.)	..	...	...	$48½
				Public Utilities				
$16.60	...	...	.	Tramways	$16.60	$16¾	...	—
..	...	...	$8	Peak Trams (old)		...	...	$8
..	...	...	$4	Peak Trams (new)	...	...	...	$4
$85¼	...	...	...	Star Ferries	$85¼	...	...	...
..	...	...	$22.70	Y'mati Ferries	$22½	...	$22.60	...
...	...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
$8.40	..	...	...	China Lights (O)	$8.40	..		...
	...	.	$5.60	China Lights (New)	$5.40	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	China Lights Rts.	...	...	...	...
...	$56½	...	...	H.K. Electrics	$56¼	$56½	-	..
$16.60	$16.70	...		Macao Electrics		..		...
$12½				Sandakan Lights	...	...		...
$23¾	...	$24		Telephones (old)	..	...	...	$24
...	...	...	$7½	Telephones (new)	$7½	.	...	
-			20/0	Tractions			.	22/-
..	..	...	22/0	Tractions (pref.)		...	...	
				Industrials				
...	..	...	$14	Cald., Macg. (Ord.) S.		...	...	
...	...	...	$13	Cald., Macg. (Pref.) S.		..		...
$1	...		...	Canton Ices	...	...		$1
$12¾				Cements	$12.55			...
$3.65		...	...	Ropes	...	...	...	$3.60
				Miscellaneous				
$21½	...			Dairy Farms ex rts.		..	.	$31½
$15.70	..			Dairy Farm Rts.	...	..	...	$15½
$6.55	...	...	...	Ch. E'tainments	$6.55	...		...
...	...	...	$1¾	Constructions (old)	..	..	...	$1¼
...		...	...	Constructions (new)		..	-	...
..		...	$8	Lane Crawfords	...	..	...	$8
..	...	..	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	..	...	$4
..	...	...	$1.80	Sinceres	...	..	...	$1.80
$7.90	$8			Watsons	..		...	$7.90
...	...	...	64½%	Ch. G.5% 1925G $Bds.	...	...	...	64½%
3¾%pm	...	...	...	H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	$103¾	—		...
par.		...	...	H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan	$100	...	...	...
$41	ex.div	..		H.K. Wing On	...	...	..	$46
...		...	...	S'hai Wing On	...	..	...	$5½
...		...	$8	Vibro Piling	..	..	...	$7¾
...	..	...	14 7½	Maramans Inv. (Lon.)	...			
			4/2½	Maramans Inv. (H.K.)		...		
.	...	...	$1	Wm. Powells	...	...	..	$1

*Sales to Shanghai

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

London, May 12.

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

	£		£
War Loan, 3½% (Red after 1952)	92¾	Union Insurance	30½*
Canton-K'loon Rly. 5% 1898 (Brit. Issue)	19½	Gula Kalumpong Rubber	17/6
Chinese 4½% Gold Loan,	67½	Allied Ironfounders	18/9
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	64½	Asso. & Elec. Industries	38
Chin. 4½% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	61	Austin Motors, ord.	30/4½
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	36	Cable & Wireless, New Form, ord.	46¾
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	52	B.-A. Tob. (bearer)	97/6
Chinese 5% Ster. Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	17½	Cammell Laird, ord.	8/6
Chin. Imperial Rly. 5% Loan	63	Mexican Eagle	9/1½
Honan Rly. 5%	21	Courtaulds	24/10½
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911	22	Distillers	89/3
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	20½	Dunlop Rubber	27/3
Lung Tsing & U. Hai Rly. 5%	18½	Gen. Electric (England)	79/9
S'hai-N'king Rly. 5%	28	Guinness (A) Son & Co.	106/6
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	18	Hawker Siddeley Airc.	19/1½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (German Stpd.)	18	Bristol Aeroplane	20/7½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	18	Imperial Chemical Ind.	30/1½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	18	Imperial Tobacco	126/10½
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1907	36½	Marks & Sp'cer "A" ord.	60/7½
Jap. 6% Ster. Loan, 1924	44	Rolls Royce	106/3
Ger. 7% Intl. Loan, 1924	35	Leyland Motors	90
Chartered Bank	7½	Tate & Lyle	60/1½
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	84	Turner & Newall	76
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Col. Reg.)	84	United Steel	24
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	19/6	Smethwick Drop Forg.	15/9
Chosen Corporation	5/6	Armstrong Stevens, ord.	6/6
Pekin Syndicate	2*	Pressed Steel, com.	19/9
S'hai Elec. Constr. Co.	25*	Vickers, ord.	19/6
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19½*	Woolworths	62/3
		Anglo-Dutch	25
		Rub. Plant. Invest. Trust	26/3
		Burma Corporation	8/4½
		Commonwealth Mining	1
		Marsman Investments	15
		Randfontein Estates	38/6
		Western Holdings	12/7½
		Sub-Nigel	216/3
		Tanami Gold Mining	3d
		Anglo-Iranian	79/4½
		Burmah	81/3
		Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	83/1½

*—Nominal.

PAYNE & CO.

COMMODITY BROKERS
STOCK EXCHANGE BUILDING
HONGKONG

COMMODITY MARKET REVIEW

(FROM PAYNE & CO.)

New York, May 13, 1939.

SINGAPORE RUBBER

	May 12 buyers	May 12 sellers	May 13 buyers	May 13 sellers	change
SPOT	27-3/4	28	27-5/8	27-7/8	off 1/8
JULY-SEPT.	27-3/4	28	27-5/8	27-7/8	"
OCT.-DEC.	27-7/8	28-1/8	27-3/4	28	"

The market opened 1/8 of a cent lower for all deliveries as compared with Friday's closing rates.

In sympathy with easier advices received from London and New York the market exhibited a quiet and dull undertone.

Although fair demand for "spot" Rubber continues to be in evidence, both dealers and speculators prefer to maintain side-line positions in view of the impending quota-announcements. Consequently activity is at a low ebb, the volume of business transacted remaining moderate.

In some quarters the opinion prevails that apart from the statistical position and the fair consumption-outlook the I. R. R. Committee might be inclined to grant a more liberal release with a view to excluding Rubber from the Anglo-American Barter-plan, thus affording an opportunity of building up reserves from which the interested governments might draw necessary supplies when requested.

LONDON RUBBER

	Previous close buyers	Previous close sellers	To-day's close buyers	To-day's close sellers	Change
SPOT	7-15/16	8			
JULY-SEPT.	8	8-1/8	CLOSED		
OCT.-DEC.	8-1/8	8-3/16			
JAN.-MARCH	8-3/16	8-1/4			

Market closed.

NEW YORK COTTON

The tone of the market continued to be good at the opening. Prices advanced with the increased activity in the market on trade and foreign buying. Short-covering was also noted, and May option remained firm. The market closed firm with prices maintained at the day's high levels.

NEW YORK RUBBER

The market continued to be dull and featureless. Measured by price movements, traders were still hesitant because of the pending "quota" decision. In terms of volume, trading was very much limited. Prices again moved slightly lower.

CHICAGO WHEAT

The market opened with a better tone to-day. There was an early advance in prices on speculative buying and short-covering. Later, the tone of the market was slightly easier, but the closing prices remained almost at the day's high levels.

	Previous close	To-day's close	Change
Dow Jones Industrial Averages	132.16	132.40	up .24

N. Y. Commodity Market

(By Courtesy of Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz and S. E. Levy & Company)

	High	Low	Prev. Close	To-day's Close	Change
New York Cotton, July	8.52	8.44	8.45	8.52	.07 up
New York Rubber, July	15.95	15.95	16.00a	15.95	.05 off
Chicago Wheat, July	75	73½	73¾	74¾	1¼ up
Chicago Corn, July	52	51½	51¾	51¾	unch.
Winnipeg Wheat, July	66¾	65¾	65	66¼	¼ up
New York Hides, July	10.75	10.65	10.76	10.75	.01 off

NEW YORK COTTON

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
May	8.92/93	8.95/96	9.04/05	.12 up
July	8.44/45	8.44/44	8.51/52	.07 up
October	7.83/84	7.83/84	7.94/94	.10 up
December	7.62/63	7.62/62	7.75/75	.12 up
January	7.62/62	7.62/62	7.74 N	.12 up
March	7.57/57	7.59/60	7.69/69	.12 up
Spot	9.44 N		9.51 N	.07 up

Note: The last Notice day for May Cotton is May 16.

NEW YORK RUBBER

May	15.90b/92a	—	15.90/90	.02 off
July	15.98b/16.00a	15.94b/16.06a	15.95/95	.05 off
September	16.00b/04a	15.98/98	15.98b/16.02a	.02 off
December	16.01b/04a	16.00b/01a	16.00b/03a	.01 off
March	16.04 B	—	16.03b/06a	.02 up

Total Sales:—90 tons.

CHICAGO WHEAT

May	78¾/78⅝	—	79⅛/79¼	1⅜ up
July	73½/73⅜	73½/73¼	74¼/74¼	1¼ up
September	73½/73⅜	73½/73¼	74¼/74¼	1¼ up

Friday's Sales:—16,243,000 bushels.

CHICAGO CORN

May	50½/50⅜	—	50¾/50¾	¼ up
July	51⅜/51¼	51⅛/51¼	51¼/51⅜	unch.
September	52⅜/52⅜	52⅜/52½	52½/52⅝	¼ up

WINNIPEG WHEAT

May	64¾/64¾	—	65⅞/66	1⅛ up
July	65¾/66	65¾/66½	66¾/66¾	⅞ up
October	67/67	66¾/67	67⅞/68	1 up

NEW YORK HIDES

June	10.76/76	10.70/65	10.71/75	.01 off
September	11.14/15	11.07/07	11.11/11	.04 off
NY Silver, Official	42-3/4		unquoted.	
NY-London Cross Rate	4.68-3/16		4.68-1/8	

NEW YORK STRAITS TIN.

September	47.85b/48.30a	47.70b/48.20a	47.60b/48.00a	.30 off

BANKS

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-Up $20,000,000
Reserve Funds:
Sterling .....£ 6,500,000
H.K. Currency Reserve $10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

Head Office:—HONG KONG

Board of Directors.

Hon. Mr. A. L. Shields, *Chairman.*
W. H. Lock, Esq., *Deputy Chairman.*
J. K. Bousfield, Esq.,
A. H. Compton, Esq.,
Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell,
D. F. Landale, Esq.,
G. Miskin, Esq.,
K. S. Morrison, Esq.,
Hon. Mr. T. E. Pearce,
H. V. Wilkinson, Esq.,
Sir Vandeleur M. Grayburn, *Chief Manager.*

Branches:—

Amoy	Ipoh	Penang
Bangkok	Johore	Rangoon
Batavia	Kobe	Saigon
Bombay	Kowloon	San Francisco
Calcutta	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
Canton	London	Singapore
Chefoo	Lyons	Sourabaya
Colombo	Malacca	Sungei Patani
Dairen	Manila	Swatow
Foochow	Muar (Johore)	Tientsin
Haiphong	Mukden	Tokyo
Hamburg	New York	Tsingtao
Hankow	Peiping	Yokohama
Harbin		
Hongkew		
Iloilo		

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and other Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

Also up to date Safe Deposit Boxes in various sizes To Let.

Hong Kong, 13th Mar. 1939.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK

The Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

For the Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation.
V. M. Grayburn,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 25th Feb., 1939.

BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 5,598,600.00
Reserve and Undivided Profits 2,883,832.01

Head Office:—HONG KONG
No. 10 Des Voeux Road, Central.

Board of Directors:

Sir Shouson Chow, Chairman
Li Koon Chun, Esq. Li Lan Sang, Esq.
P. K. Kwok, Esq. WongChuSon, Esq.
Wong Yun Tong, Esq. Kan Ying Po, Esq.
ChanChingShek, Esq. FungPingWah Esq.

Kan Tong Po, Esq., Chief Manager.
Li Tse Fong, Esq., Manager.

Branches and Agencies:—

Amoy	Kowloon	Penang	Singapore
Batavia	London	Rangoon	Sourabaya
Bombay	Manila	Saigon	Swatow
Calcutta	Melbourne	San Francisco	Sydney
Haiphong	Nagasaki		Tientsin
Hankow	New York	Seattle	Vancouver
Honolulu	Paris	Semarang	
Kobe	Peiping	Shanghai	

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.

Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and Foreign Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

Safe Deposit Boxes To Let.

KAN TONG PO,
Chief Manager.

BANK OF CHINA

Specially Chartered by
THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT OF CHINA AS AN INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK

PAID-UP CAPITAL $40,000,000.00
(BRANCHES ALL OVER CHINA)

Owing to our numerous Branches in China and connections in the principal Commercial Centres of the World, we are able to extend to our Clients special facilities for Domestic and Foreign Banking and Exchange.

Head Office: SHANGHAI

Hong Kong Branch:
4, QUEEN'S ROAD, C.

South China Offices:

CANTON	KONGMOON
SWATOW	TOISHAN
SHIUCHOW	KINGCHOW

We also handle the issue of Bonds and other Public Funds of the Chinese Government both at Home and Abroad.

SHOU J. CHEN,
Manager.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA

Incorporated by Royal Charter, 1853

Paid-up Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Fund £3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors.....£3,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: LONDON:
38, Bishopsgate E.C.2.

Sub-Agencies in London:
117/122, Leadenhall Street, E.C.3.

West End Branch:
14/16, Cockspur Street, S.W.1.

Manchester Branch:
52, Mosley Street, Manchester. 2.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES:

ALOR STAR	HARBIN	PENANG
AMRITSAR	HONG KONG	RANGOON
BANGKOK	ILOILO	SAIGON
BATAVIA	IPOH	SEREMBAN
BOMBAY	KARACHI	SHANGHAI
CALCUTTA	KLANG	SINGAPORE
AGENCIES: CLIVE STREET FAIRLIE PLACE	KOBE	SITIAWAN
	KUALA LUMPUR	SOURABAYA
CANTON	KUCHING	TAIPING
CAWNPORE	MADRAS	TIENTSIN
CEBU	MANILA	TONGKAH (Bhuket)
COLOMBO	MEDAN	TSINGTAO
DELHI	NEW YORK	YOKOHAMA
HAIPHONG	PEIPING (Peking)	
HAMBURG		
HANKOW		

Foreign Exchange and General Banking Business transacted.

Current Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits received for One Year or shorter periods in Local or Other Currencies at rates which will be quoted on application.

Savings Accounts also opened in Local Currency and Sterling with interest allowed at rates obtainable on application.

The Bank's Head Office in London undertakes Executor and Trustee business, and claims recovery of British Income Tax overpaid, on terms which may be ascertained at any of the Agencies and Branches.

R. A. CAMIDGE,
Manager.

THE CHASE BANK

15, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

HEAD OFFICE:
18, Pine Street,
NEW YORK.

An American Bank offering complete Foreign Banking Service in the principal Markets of the world.

Interest Rates on Application.

SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES

This Bank is entirely owned by The Chase National Bank, New York, with Resources over U.S. $2,500,000,000.

D. M. BIGGAR,
Manager.

ATLANTIC AIR SERVICE

Opening May Be Delayed

The British Transatlantic air mail service, which was to have been inaugurated on June 1, to run during the summer months, is likely to be delayed for two, or perhaps three, weeks.

A minor technical difficulty has arisen. It chiefly concerns the completion of a stipulated quota of flying hours with the type of engine used in the Cabot class of flying boat

This quota could easily be completed in time on the England-Egypt section of the Imperial Airways air route to South Africa and the East. A certain carburettor attachment also is needed, but it presents no real difficulty.

It would no doubt be possible for the original date—June 1—to be adhered to and for the British service to start as soon as, or even before, the United States services. The date for the beginning of the latter has not yet been announced.

NEW FLOATING DOCK

It is much to be desired that this opportunity for maintaining British prestige should not be lost.

Pan-American Airways will run two weekly services, one to France, the other to England, compared with the British plan for one weekly service. The American services, moreover, will be for passengers as well as mails.

Pan-American Airways have ordered a floating dock at Southampton for their flying boats. It will differ in some details from the floating dock used by Imperial Airways.

The latter's fleet of nine long-range flying-boats for the Atlantic and Tasman Sea crossings is now complete except for the Catha, which is to be launched in a week or two.

GIANT PANDA FIGHTS IN AIR LINER

NEW YORK, May 1.—Passengers flying above Pittsburg to-day nearly lost their lives because the three pilots of their airplane were attacked by a seventy-pound giant panda.

The Panda, belonging to a missionary from China, was being carried as cargo in the baggage compartment next to the pilot's cabin. It was tethered by a long chain.

The plane was about to land at Pittsburg when the panda suddenly lost its temper. With an angry roar it jumped into the pilot's cabin.

LATER REPORT

Three flight officers of a passenger air-liner to-day grappled with an enraged giant panda in the control cabin of a 'plane.

The panda, weighing five stone, slipped and lumbered past the terrified passengers.

In the control cabin the officers were struggling to keep the 'plane in level flight and overpower their attacker.

Flight Captain D. Terry and Pilot T. Tomlinson battled with the panda for more that twenty minutes while First Officer M. Caffing landed the 'plane safely at Pittsburg air port.

The machine on the ground, the panda was soon overcome and led away to a "cell."

NO BAMBOO

The panda is en route from China to New York, and was in charge of Dr. A. Best, of West China Union University, who was a passenger.

During the struggle, Dr. Best asked: "Has anyone any fresh bamboo? That will pacify her." But there was none available.

The giant panda, which looks like a bear lives on bamboo shoots in its mountain home 10,000 feet above sea level. Several have been captured in the last two years in the Himalayan mountains.

Five were brought to England last December by Major Floyd Tangier-Smith. Two are in London Zoo and one at Whipsnade.

Their amusing antics prove a big attraction to visitors, and, although one of them, now on view in London, cost £800, she has already paid for herself by increased revenue.

SINGAPORE IN 1938

VALUABLE HEALTH SERVICES

The report of the Eastern Bureau of the Health Organization of the League of Nations at Singapore testifies to the smooth discharge of the valuable services of that fifteen-year old outpost of public health protection.

The report justifiably opens with a reference to the fact that in a short space of time, the service at Singapore has been so practically and effectively developed that it is now taken for granted as if it had always existed instead of being one of the most important creations of the League of Nations.

An interesting sidelight is thrown on the effect of modern transport on the problems with which the Bureau has to deal. Among its anxieties is the danger of airborne disease. So the best method of freeing aircraft from insect life has been under consideration and a system has been devised to instal in aeroplanes an automatic plant which will effectively free them from mosquitoes either in the air or on the ground.

TWO SYSTEMS

Some of the flying boats of the Imperial Airways are fitted with apparatus for disinfestation during flight. This process is carried out by two separate systems: one a disseminator specially designed to spread dry insecticide through the passenger cabins and, secondly, an injector type of disseminator suitable for luggage holds and parts of aircraft other than cabins.

In certain eastern countries, health authorities have complained of the waste of time caused by the obligation to have a medical officer available at airports awaiting the arrival of air liners which do not adhere to a regular time-table.

NEW PROPOSAL

To deal with this difficulty, the Bureau submitted a proposal to the International Bureau of Hygiene at Paris for a message to be sent by masters of aircraft on international routes prior to their arrival at the first airport of the country giving information regarding the health of the crew and passengers

This proposal was not adopted on the ground that the aircraft, even if fitted with wireless, would not have resources for sending such a message.

PRINCESS ROYAL NAMES 35,000-TON BATTLESHIP

The Princess Royal recently launched the Prince of Wales, Britain's latest 35,000-ton battleship—the second of five of her class—at Messrs. Cammell Laird's yard at Birkenhead.

She smashed a bottle of champagne against the bows, saying:

"I name this ship the Prince of Wales, may God guide her and guard and keep all who sail in her."

Immediately after the Prince of Wales was launched she broke one of her anchors. The other anchor was at once dropped and the battleship was brought safely to rest in the middle of the Mersey.

14IN. GUNS

The Prince of Wales will be one of the fastest and strongest battleships in the world. Her main armament consists of 10 14in. guns mounted in three turrets. Each shell fired from a 14in. gun weighs 1560lb., so that the broadside fire from these guns in 15-600lb. of shell.

Her secondary armament consists of 16 5¼in. guns in eight turrets, and numerous smaller guns will be mounted.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

MAERSK LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

THE M.V. "LAURA MAERSK"

having arrived from New York and Ports of call Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company's godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd May, 1939, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 20th May, 1939, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 22nd June, 1939, or they will not be recognised.

No Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JEBSEN & CO.,
Agents.

Hong Kong, 15th May, 1939. [388

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE M.S. "DUISBURG"

having arrived from Hamburg and Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company's godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the goods are landed

Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 18th May, 1939, will be subject to rent

All broken chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 17th May, 1939, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 18th June, 1939, or they will not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JEBSEN & CO.,
Agents.

Hong Kong, 12th May, 1939. [380

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

S.S. "YALOU"
6°AE0/39.

BRINGING CARGO FROM DUNKIRK via HAIPHONG etc.

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON WEDNESDAY, THE 10TH MAY, 1939.

CONSIGNEES are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed & stored into the godowns of the Hong Kong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 20th May, 1939, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Tuesday, the 16th May, 1939.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL,
Agent.

Hong Kong, 10th May, 1939. [373

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

THE BEN LINE STEAMERS, LTD.

FROM LEITH, MIDDLESBRO', ANTWERP, LONDON, STRAITS AND MANILA.

THE S.S. "BENDORAN"

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves Delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 16th May, 1939, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 30th May, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 15th May, 1939, at 9 a.m. by Messrs. Carmichael & Clarke.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

W. R. LOXLEY & CO. (CHINA), LTD.
Agents.

Hong Kong, 9th May, 1939.

SERVICES CONTRACTUELS DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

S.S. "PRESIDENT DOUMER"
13°A/39.

BRINGING CARGO FROM MARSEILLES via SAIGON, etc.

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON WEDNESDAY, THE 10TH MAY, 1939.

CONSIGNEES are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed & stored into the Godowns of the Hong Kong, Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 20th May, 1939, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Tuesday, the 16th May, 1939.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL,
Agent.

Hong Kong, 10th May, 1939. [372

What do you want?

If there is anything you want to buy or sell, try a small Classified advertisement in the Hongkong Daily Press.

25 words $1.00 prepaid for 3 insertions.

PRESIDENT LINER Sailings

FOR SAN FRANCISCO & LOS ANGELES
via SHANGHAI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU

S.S. "PRESIDENT PIERCE"	Sails	May 19th at 12.01 A.M.
S.S. "PRESIDENT COOLIDGE"	"	June 3rd at 12 Noon
S.S. "PRESIDENT TAFT"	"	June 16th at 12.01 A.M.
S.S. "PRESIDENT CLEVELAND"	"	June 30th at 12.01 A.M.
S.S. "PRESIDENT PIERCE"	"	July 14th at 12.01 A.M.
S.S. "PRESIDENT COOLIDGE"	"	July 29th at 10.00 A.M.

AND FORTNIGHTLY THEREAFTER

FOR NEW YORK & BOSTON
via SUEZ

S.S. "PRESIDENT HAYES"	Sails	May 26th at 12 Noon
S.S. "PRESIDENT POLK"	"	June 9th at 12 Noon

AND FORTNIGHTLY THEREAFTER

FOR MANILA

S.S. "PRESIDENT COOLIDGE"	Sails	May 26th at 9.00 P.M.
S.S. "PRESIDENT TAFT"	"	June 9th at 1.00 A.M.
S.S. "PRESIDENT POLK"	"	June 9th at 12 Noon
S.S. "PRESIDENT CLEVELAND"	"	June 23rd at 1.00 A.M.

AMERICAN PRESIDENT LINES
ROUND WORLD SERVICES
12, PEDDER ST TEL. 28171.

Lloyd Triestino

FORTNIGHTLY EXPRESS SERVICE
FAR EAST—INDIA—ITALY

Hongkong—London 23 days
Hongkong—Italy 21 days

SCHEDULE OF SAILING FROM HONGKONG

TO MANILA, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, EGYPT & ITALY		TO SHANGHAI	
s.s. "GIULIO CESARE"	20th May	m.v. "VICTORIA"	20th May.
m.v. "VICTORIA"	27th May	s.s. "CONTE VERDE"	2nd June
s.s. "CONTE VERDE"	9th June	s.s. "C. BIANCAMANO"	26th June
s.s. "C. BIANCAMANO"	1st July	s.s. "CONTE ROSSO"	7th July
s.s. "CONTE ROSSO"	14th July	m.v. "VICTORIA"	5th Aug.

LLOYD TRIESTINO
P.O. Box 143. Tel. Address "Lloydiano"—Telephones 32982 Passenger 32983 Freight

FORTNIGHTLY
EXPRESS SAILINGS
Now Offered
BY
MAERSK LINE
(On the 11th and 27th of each month)

VIA

SHANGHAI & JAPAN

to

LOS ANGELES, PANAMA, NEW YORK, BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, NORFOLK & SAVANNAH

If sufficient inducement offers also other ports of call.

Arrivals from U.S.A.		Sailings to U.S.A.
—	M.V. "NIEL MAERSK"	27th May
—	M.V. "LAURA MAERSK"	11th June
28th May	M.V. "PETER MAERSK"	27th June
16th June	M.V. "PETER MAERSK"	11th July

(All dates are subject to alteration without notice.)

EXCELLENT ACCOMMODATION FOR PASSENGERS AT MODERATE RATES.

For Freight and Passage please apply:—

JEBSEN & CO.

Canton Shameen, R.C. Agents. Hong Kong, Pedder Building.
Tel. 10916. Tel. 31205—6.
Swatow Agents: GEBR. BOESE. Tel. 1653.

CHINA NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED.

KWANGCHOWWAN, (FORT BAYARD) PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KAYING"	On 16th May, 4 p.m.
SWATOW, S'HAI., TSINGTAU, W.H.W., CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HOIHOW"	On 17th May, 4 p.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 17th May, 5 p.m.
FOOCHOW, WENCHOW & S'HAI.	"NEWCHWANG"	On 19th May, Noon
HAIPHONG	"CHEKIANG"	On 21st May, Noon
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KIANGSU"	On 21st May, 3 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN, (FORT BAYARD) PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"SUIYANG"	On 21st May, 4 p.m.
FOOCHOW & SHANGHAI	"SZECHUEN"	On 21st May, 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SAIGON & BANGKOK	"KALGAN"	On 21st May, 6 p.m.
HAIPHONG	"NINGHAI"	On 23rd May, 1 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN (FORT BAYARD) & HAIPHONG	"JEAN DUPUIS"	On 23rd May, 4 p.m.
SWATOW, TSINGTAO, W.H.W., CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"YOCHOW"	On 23rd May, 4 p.m.
CHUANCHOW, (for passenger only), AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 23rd May, 5 p.m.
SWATOW & S'HAI.	"SHANTUNG"	On 24th May, 4 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN (FORT BAYARD) PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KINGYUAN"	On 26th May, 4 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SOOCHOW"	On 28th May, 4 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN (FORT BAYARD) & HAIPHONG	"JEAN DUPUIS"	On 6th June, 4 p.m.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

For Freight or Passage apply to- BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

TELEPHONE 30331. Agents.

CARGO AND BAGGAGE CAN BE INSURED AT THE OFFICE OF BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

TRAVEL A.-O. LINE

To AUSTRALIA Calling at Manila Thursday Is., Cairns Townsville. Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne.

BRITISH STEAMERS: CHANGTE & TAIPING (OIL BURNERS)

FASTEST and MOST UP-TO-DATE STEAMERS IN THE SERVICE

OPEN AIR SWIMMING POOL

ELECTRIC LAUNDRY, BARBER SHOP, SURGEON & STEWARDESS CARRIED

Enjoy Your Leave in Australia and New Zealand. Hong Kong to Sydney—19 Days

FIRST CLASS FARE TO SYDNEY, £76 RETURN

" " " LONDON (via Australia) from £127-15-0.

(Australia Newspapers on file)

STEAMERS	Due Hong Kong	Leaves Hong Kong	Leaves Manila	Due Sydney
CHANGTE	6 June	12 June	15 June	30 June
TAIPING	7 July	14 July	17 July	2 Aug.
CHANGTE	4 Aug.	12 Aug.	15 Aug.	31 Aug.
TAIPING	3 Sept.	11 Sept.	14 Sept.	29 Sept.

AUSTRALIAN-ORIENTAL LINE, LIMITED

Sailings subject to alteration without notice.

For Freight or Passage, apply to:— BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agents, HONG KONG, CHINA & JAPAN.

Telephone 30333.

PRINCE LINE-SILVER LINE

JOINT SERVICE

Regular Sailings To

HALIFAX, BOSTON and NEW YORK

(via Cape of Good Hope or Panama until further notice)

Next Sailing

m.v. "SILVERSANDAL" 28th May

LIMITED PASSENGER ACCOMMODATION AT MODERATE RATES.

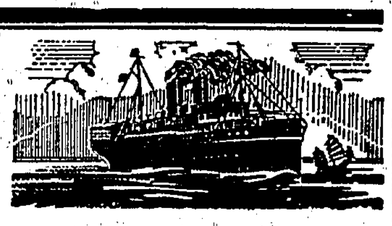
FURNESS (FAR EAST), LTD.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

2nd Floor, Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building

Telephones 23165 & 23169. Telegram: Furnprince

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.



SWATOW-HONGKONG SERVICE.

Sailings Sundays and Wednesdays at 4 p.m.

SWATOW, AMOY, FOOCHOW AND RETURN.

Sailings Tuesdays and Friday

‡S.S. HAITAN Wed., 17th May, 4 p.m.

‡ For SWATOW, AMOY, CHUANCHOW and FOOCHOW.

Subject to alteration without notice

Arrivals and Departures from the Company's Wharf (near Blake Pier)

ROUND TRIP TICKETS will be issued from HONG KONG to FOOCHOW (Sharp Peak) and return by the same Steamer at the Reduced Rate of $ 34 including Meals while the Steamer is at Coast Ports.

(Time for Round Voyage 8 Days)

For Freight and Passage apply to:—

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.,

General Managers.

P. & O. Building. Tel. Nos. 28037 and 28038.

VESSELS DUE

Achilles, B & S., May 20.
Afrika, E. A. Co., June 10.
Antilochus, B. & S., May 24.
Aramis, Messageries, May 24.
Athos II, Messageries, June 7.
Atuta Maru, N. Y. K., May 18.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 19.
Behar, P. & O., May 25.
Bhutan, P. & O., May 16.
Canton, C. A. N., May 17.
Changte, B. & S., June 6.
Coburg, Melchers, May 31.
Cramer, J. C. J. Line, May 16.
C/Verde, L. Triestino, June 2.
Dahpu, Jardine's, May 16.
Dardanus, B. & S., May 18.
Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., May 17.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 2.
Emp. of Russia C. P. S., June 15.
Franken, Melchers, May 16.
Giulio Cesare, L. Triestino, May 20.
Glenfinlas, Jardine's, May 23.
Granville, Bank Line, May 18.
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., June 3.
Hosang, Jardine's, M. 17.
Jeypore, P. & O., June 6.
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., May 23.
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., May 26.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., May 22.
Kiangsu, B. & S., May 17.
Kumsang, Jardine's, May 20.
Laos, Messageries, May 22.
Lycaon, B. & S., June 3.
Mausang, Jardine's, May 17.
Nagpore, P. & O., May 27.
Nankin, E. & A., June 2.
Nanking, Gilman's, May 19.
Neckar, Melchers, May 28.
Ninghai, B. & S., May 18.
Nordmark, Jebsen's, May 30.
Nosiro Maru, N. Y. K., May 24.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, May 28.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., May 26.
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 25.
Pres. Pierce, A. P. L., May 17.
Preussen, Jebsen's, June 3.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 26.
Ranpura, P. & O., May 24.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., June 7.
Ruys, J. C. J. Line, May 24.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 21.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, May 23.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, May 17.
Shirala, B. I. (Apcar), May 23.
Sirdhana, B. I. (Apcar), June 1.
Soudan, P. & O., June 7.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 18.
Taisang, Jardine's, May 16.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, June 17.
Taksang, Jardine's, 17.
Talma, B. I. (Apcar), May 18.
Tancred, Dodwell's May 16.
Tanda, E. & A., June 1.
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 18.
Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), June 6.
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, May 29.
Trianon, Thoresen's, May 24.
Victoria, L. Triestino, May 20.
Yochow, B. & S., May 18.
Zinzan Maru, N. Y. K., May 26.
Zuiderkerk, J. C. J. Line, June 5.

ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONGKONG

NORTHWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy
Haitan, Douglas, May 17.
Tsinan, B. & S., May 17.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, May 23.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 23.

Chefoo
Hoihow, B. & S., May 17.
Dahpu, Jardine's, May 19.
Taisang, Jardine's, May 21.
Yochow, B. & S., May 23.
Mingsang, Jardine's, May 28.

Chingwangtao
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 21.

Chuanchow
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 23.

Dairen
Talthybius, B. & S., May 18.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, May 23.
Moni Rickmers, Jebsen's, May 25.
Antilochus, B. & S., May 26.
Preussen, Jebsen's, June 3.

Foochow
Haitan, Douglas, May 17.
Newchwang, B. & S., May 19.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 21.

JAPAN
Bhutan, P. & O., May 17.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, May 17.
Talthybius, B. & S., May 18.
Nanking, Gilman's, May 19.
Atuta, Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Pres. Pierce, A. P. Lines, May 19.
Hosang, Jardine's, May 20.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., May 22.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, May 23.
Glenfinlas, Jardine's, May 24.
Trianon, Thoresen's, May 24.
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., May 24.
Aramis, Messageries, May 24.
Moni Rickmers, Jebsen's, May 25.
Shirala, B. I. (Apcar), May 25.
Ranpura, P. & O., May 25.
Behar, P. & O., May 26.
Antilochus, B. & S., May 26.
Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., May 26.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
Neckar, Melchers, May 28.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 30.
Coburg, Melchers, May 31.
Preussen, Jebsen's, June 3.
Lycaon, B. & S., June 3.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, June 3.
Zuiderkerk, J. C. J. Line, June 5.
Athos II, Messageries, June 7.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., June 8.
Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), June 8.
Soudan, P. & O., June 8.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 9.

Shanghai
Hoihow, B. & S., May 17.
Bhutan, P. & O., May 17.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, May 17.
Tsinan, B. & S., May 17.
Achilles, B. & S., May 17.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, May 17.
Dardanus, B. & S., May 18.
Newchwang, B. & S., May 19.
Dahpu, Jardine's, May 19.
Nanking, Gilman's, May 19.
Pres. Pierce, A. P. Lines, May 19.
Victoria, L. Triestino, May 20.
Kiangsu, B. & S., May 21.
Taisang, Jardine's, May 21.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 21.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 21.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., May 22.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 23.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, May 23.
Shantung, B. & S., May 24.
Glenfinlas, Jardine's, May 24.
Trianon, Thoresen's, May 24.
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., May 24.
Aramis, Messageries, May 24.
Ruys, J. C. J. Line, May 25.
Ranpura, P. & O., May 25.
Behar, P. & O., May 26.
Antilochus, B. & S., May 26.
Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., May 26.
Solviken, Jebsen's, May 27.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
Soochow, B. & S., May 28.
Mingsang, Jardine's May 28.
Neckar, Melchers, May 28.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 30.
Coburg, Melchers, May 31.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, May 31.
Conte Verde, L. Triestino, June 2.
Preussen, Jebsen's, June 3.
Lycaon, B. & S., June 3.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, June 3.
Athos II, Messageries, June 7.
Soudan, P. & O., June 8.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., June 8.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 9.

Swatow
Hoihow, B. & S., May 17.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, May 17.
Dahpu, Jardine's, May 19.
Kiangsu, B. & S., May 21.
Taisang, Jardine's, May 21.
Kalgan, B. & S., May 21.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, May 23.
Yochow, B. & S., May 23.
Shantung, B. & S., May 24.
Soochow, B. & S., May 28.
Mingsang, Jardine's May 28.

Taku
Achilles, B & S., May 20.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 21.
Glenshiel, Jardine's, May 13.
Antilochus, B. & S., May 26.
Neckar, Melchers, May 28.

Tientsin
Hoihow, B. & S., May 17.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, May 17.
Dahpu, Jardine's, May 19.
Yochow, B. & S., May 23.
Mingsang, Jardine's, May 28.

Tsingtau
Hoihow, B. & S., May 17.
Dahpu, Jardine's, May 19.
Taisang, Jardine's, May 21.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 21.
Yochow, B. & S., May 23.

Wei-Hai-Wei
Hoihow, B. & S., May 17.
Yochow, B. & S., May 23.

Wenchow
Newchwang, B. & S., May 19.

EASTWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA

Balboa
Tancred, Dodwell's, May 16.
Nosiro Maru, N. Y. K., May 25.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
New Orleans, Thoresen's, June 10.

Baltimore
Nosiro Maru, N. Y. K., May 25.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
New Orleans, Thoresen's, June 10.

Boston and New York
Tancred, Dodwell's, May 16.
Nosiro Maru, N. Y. K., May 25.
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.
New Orleans, Thoresen's, June 10.

Cristobal
Tancred, Dodwell's, May 16.
Nosiro Maru, N. Y. K., May 25.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
New Orleans, Thoresen's, June 10.

Honolulu
Pres. Pierce, A. P. L., May 19.
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., May 24.
Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., May 26.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, June 3.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 9.

Los Angeles
Tancred, Dodwell's, May 16.
Pres. Pierce, A. P. L., May 19.
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., May 24.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, June 3.

Panama
Tancred, Dodwell's, May 16.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
New Orleans, Thoresen's, June 10.

Philadelphia
Nosiro Maru, N. Y. K., May 25.
Niel Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
New Orleans, Thoresen's, June 10.

San Francisco
Pres. Pierce A. P. L., May 19.
Kamakura Maru, N. Y. K., May 24.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, June 3.

Seattle
Talthybius, B. & S., May 18.

Vancouver, B.C.
Talthybius, B. & S., May 18.
Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., May 26.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 9.

Victoria, B.C.
Talthybius, B. & S., May 18.
Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., May 26.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 9.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA

Australian Ports, East and West
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., May 27.
Tanda, E. & A. June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 12.

Bali
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, May 23.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, June 13.

Bangkok
Kalgan, B. & S., May 21.
Hiram, Thoresen's, May 21.
Ruys, J. C. J. Line, June 8.

Batavia
Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, May 16.

Belawan-Deli
Cremer, J. C. J. Line, May 25.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 1.

Brisbane
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., May 27.
Tanda, E. & A. June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 12.

Cairns
Changte, B. & S., June 12.

Cebu
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, May 23.
Silversandal, Furness, May 28.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, May 28.

Davao
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., May 27.
Silversandal, Furness, May 28.

Haiphong
Kaying, B. & S., May 16.
Esang, Jardine's, May 17.
Proteus, Jebsen's, May 20.
Taksang, Jardine's, May 20.
Suiyang, B. & S., May 21.
Chekiang, B. & S., May 21.
Ninghai, B. & S., May 23.
Jean Dupuis, B. & S., May 23.
Laos, Messageries, May 24.
Kingyuan, B. & S., May 26.
Wingsang, Jardine's, May 27.

Kwangchowwan
Kaying, B. & S., May 16.
Suiyang, B. & S., May 21.
Jean Dupuis, B. & S., May 23.
Kingyuan, B. & S., May 26.

Makassar
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, May 23.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, June 13.

Manila
Emp. of Asia C. P. S., May 18.
Giulio Cesare, L. Triestino, May 20.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, 23.
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., May 26.
Victoria, L. Triestino, May 27.
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., May 27.
Silversandal, Furness, May 28.
Peter Maersk, Jebsen's, May 28.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 1.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 2.
Tanda, E. & A. June 3.
Ruys, J. C. J. Line, June 8.
Changte, B. & S., June 12.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, June 13.
Emp. of Russia C. P. S., June 15.

Melbourne
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., May 27.
Tanda, E. & A. June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 12.

Pakhoi
Kaying, B. & S., May 16.
Suiyang, B. & S., May 21.
Kingyuan, B. & S., May 26.

Rabaul
Tanda, E. & A. June 3.

Saigon
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Kalgan, B. & S., May 21.
Laos, Messageries, May 24.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, May 25.
Ruys, J. C. J. Line, June 8.
Aramis, Messageries, June 8.

Sandakan
Mausang, Jardine's, May 26

Soerabaia
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, May 23.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, June 13.

Sydney
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., May 27.
Tanda, E. & A. June 3.

Thursday Island
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., May 27.
Changte, B. & S., June 12.

Townsville
Changte, B. & S., June 12.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY LTD.

To SWATOW, SHANGHAI CHEFOO & TIENTSIN
"Dahpu" 19th May 2 p.m.
"Taisang" 21st May, 4 p.m.
"Mingsang" 23th May 2 p.m.
"Esang" 31st May 2 p.m.
"Chaksang" 2nd June 2 p.m.
* Calls at TSINGTAO.

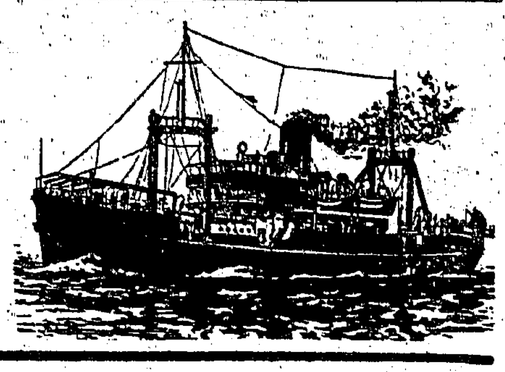
To SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN
"Kwaisang" 17th May, 2 p.m.

To SANDAKAN
"Mausang" 26th May, 10 a.m.
"Woolgar" 9th June, Noon

To HAIPHONG
"Esang" 17th May, 4 p.m.
"Taksang" 20th May 6 p.m.
"Wingsang" 27th May 6 p.m.
"Yusang" 3rd June, 4 p.m.

To SINGAPORE, PENANG and CALCUTTA
"Kumsang" 22nd May 2 p.m.
"Yuensang" 27th May, 2 p.m.

To HONGKONG and OSAKA
"Hosang" 20th May, 9 a.m.
"Suisang" 3rd June, 9 a.m.



JARDINE MATHESON & Co., LTD.

TELEPHONE • 30311 • GENERAL MANAGERS

WESTWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO EUROPE AFRICA, ETC.

Aden
Menestheus, B. & S., May 17.
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Giulio Cesare, L. Triestino, May 20.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
Victoria, L. Triestino, May 27.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 27.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Aeneas, B. & S., May 30.
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., June 3.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 10.
Agamemnon, B. & S., June 14.

Alexandria
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.

Algiers
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Amsterdam
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Antwerp
Franken, Melchers, May 17.
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
Nordmark, Jebsen's, May 30.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Glenshiel Jardine's, June 7.

Barcelona
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 1.

Boston and New York
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26.
Silversandal, Furness, May 28.
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.

Bombay
Nissan Maru, O. S. K., May 19.
Giulio Cesare, L. Triestino, May 20.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
Zinzan Maru, N. Y. K., May 26.
Victoria, L. Triestino, May 27.
Nagpore, P. & O., May 27.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 27.
Jeypore, P. & O., June 7.
Ginyo Maru, N. Y. K., June 9.
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 10.

Bremen
Franken, Melchers, May 17.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 1.

Calcutta
Talma, B. I. (Apcar), May 20.
Kumsang, Jardine's, May 22.
Sirdhana, B. I. (Apcar), June, 3.

Casablanca
Menestheus, B. & S., May 17.
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Glenshiel Jardine's, June 7.

Colombo
Menestheus, B. & S., May 17.
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Nissan Maru, O. S. K., May 19.
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Giulio Cesare, L. Triestino, May 20.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
La Plata Maru, O. S. K., May 24.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, May 25.
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26.
Zinzan Maru, N. Y. K., May 26.
Victoria, L. Triestino, May 27.
Nagpore, P. & O., May 27.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 27.
Nordmark, Jebsen's, May 30.
Aeneas, B. & S., May 30.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 1.
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., June 3.
Jeypore, P. & O., June 7.
Glenshiel Jardine's, June 7.
Aramis, Messageries, June 8.
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 10.
Agamemnon, B. & S., June 14.

Copenhagen
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Genoa
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 1.
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.

Gibraltar
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 27.
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., June 3.

Glasgow
Menestheus, B. & S., May 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., May 30.
Agamemnon, B. & S., June 14.

Gothenburg
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Halifax
Silversandal, Furness, May 28.

Hamburg
Franken, Melchers, May 17.
Menestheus, B. & S., May 17.
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
Nordmark, Jebsen's, May 30.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 1.
Glenshiel Jardine's, June 7.
Danmark, E. A. Co., June 11.
Agamemnon, B. & S., June 14.

Havre
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.

Hull
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.

Karachi
Zinzan Maru, N. Y. K., May 26.
Nagpore, P. & O., May 27.
Jeypore, P. & O., June 7.

(Continued on Back Page)

THE TAI SANG S.S. Co., Ltd.

Hong Kong and Macau Service.

S.S. "MACAU" S.S. "KAU TUNG"

Sailing Daily From Hong Kong at 8.15 A.M.	COMFORT	Sailing Daily From Hong Kong at 2.30 P.M.
From Macao at 4.00 P.M.	SERVICE	From Macao at 3.00 A.M.
	LUXURY	
	SPEED	

PHONE 21868

On Board for Reservation,

Wharves:— LEUNG WING. PO TAK. Praya Central.

Office:— 136, Connaught Road PHONE 31911.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE

Far Eastern Mail, Passenger & Freight Service

Through bookings to America via Europe and Europe via America.

Bookings around the world. — Through bookings to London

OUTWARD SAILINGS

m.v. "SAUERLAND"..... ...for Shai., Dairen, Kobe, Y'hama. ..... 23rd May

s.s. "PREUSSEN"..... ..... for Shanghai, Dairen, Kobe, Y'hama. ..... 3rd June

m.v. "LEVERKUSEN"..... for Shanghai, Dairen, Kobe, Y'hama ....17th June

HOMEWARD SAILINGS

s.s. "NORDMARK"...for Antwerp, Rotterdam, H'burg...30th May

m.v. "DUISBURG" ...for Genoa, B'dam., Han burg. ...16th June

m.v. "SAUERLAND" for Genoa, B'dam, Hamburg..... 28th June

* Freighter with Passenger Accommodation.

For further particulars and passage fares, etc. apply to:—

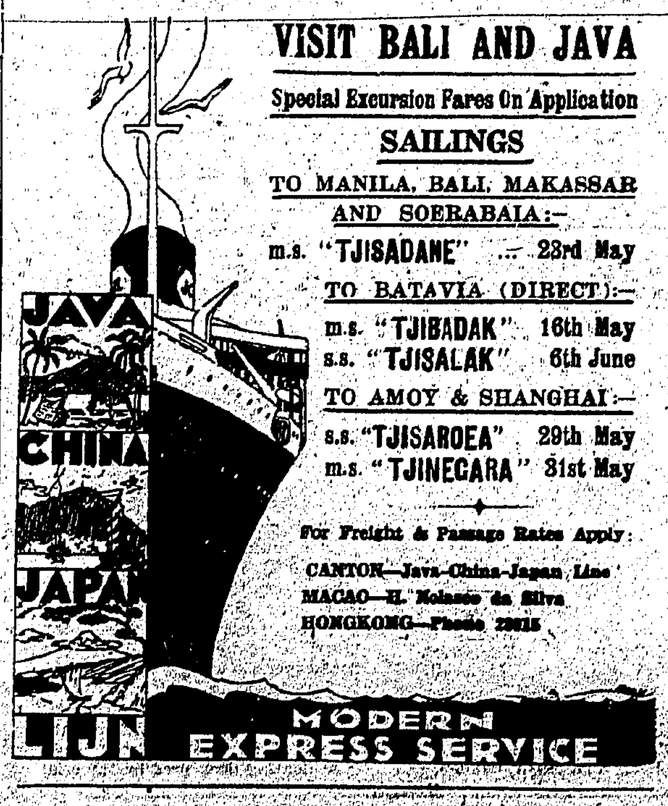
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE

JEBSEN & CO., AGENTS

12, Pedder Street, Tel. 31205—6.

CANTON AGENTS: CARLOWITZ & CO., Shakee Road

VISIT BALI AND JAVA



Special Excursion Fares On Application

SAILINGS

TO MANILA, BALI, MAKASSAR AND SOERABAIA:—

m.s. "TJISADANE" ... 23rd May

TO BATAVIA (DIRECT):—

m.s. "TJIBADAK" 16th May

s.s. "TJISALAK" 6th June

TO AMOY & SHANGHAI:—

s.s. "TJISAROEA" 29th May

m.s. "TJINEGARA" 31st May

For Freight & Passage Rates Apply:

CANTON—Java-China-Japan Line

MACAO—H. Nolasco da Silva

HONGKONG—Phone 28815

Via Canada

TO HONOLULU, CANADA, UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

EMPRESS OF ASIA	7 a.m.	May 26
EMPRESS OF CANADA	Noon	June 9
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA	7 a.m.	June 23
EMPRESS OF JAPAN	Noon	July 7

Air-conditioned equipment C.P.R. on Trans-Continental Trains. Frequent Canadian Pacific Atlantic sailings to Europe.

TO MANILA

EMPRESS OF ASIA May 18 at 5.00 P.M.

Canadian Pacific

Union Bldg.
Tel. 20752.

N.Y.K. LINE

SAN FRANCISCO & LOS ANGELES via Honolulu.
KAMAKURA MARU (ex Chichibu Maru) 24th May
ASAMA MARU 11th June

SEATTLE & VANCOUVER. (Starts from Kobe: Convenient connection from Hong Kong).
HIKAWA MARU (from Kobe) 24th May

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Honolulu, Hilo, Los Angeles, Mexico, & Balboa to Valparaiso.
(starts from Kobe; convenient connection from Hongkong)
* TATUNO MARU (from Kobe) 27th May

NEW YORK via Panama.
* NOSIRO MARU ... ... 27th May

LONDON, MARSEILLES, NAPLES via Suez.
TERUKUNI MARU ... ... 18th May
HAKUSAN MARU ... ... 3rd June
HARUNA MARU ... ... 17th June

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila, Davao, Thursday Island, Brisbane.
KAMO MARU ... ... 27th May

BOMBAY via Singapore & Colombo.
* ZINZAN MARU ... ... 26th May
GINYO MARU ... ... 9th June

RANGOON & CALCUTTA via Singapore
* KAISYO MARU ... ... 2nd June

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA
ATUTA MARU (Direct Nagasaki) 19th May
KATORI MARU ... ... 22nd May
YASUKUNI MARU ... ... 30th May

NIPPON YUSEN KAISYA
King's Building, 8, Connaught Road.
GENERAL PASSENGER AGENTS IN THE ORIENT FOR THE CUNARD WHITE STAR LINE
* (Cargo only). (TELEPHONE 30291)

BARBER - WILHELMSEN LINE

MONTHLY SERVICE TO
BOSTON AND NEW YORK
VIA LOS ANGELES & PANAMA CANAL PORTS.

Also taking cargo on through Bills of Lading for West Indies ports, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Rio Grande do Sol, Buenos Aires, South America.

NEXT SAILING
M.V. "TANCRED"
on 16th MAY

DODWELL & CO., LTD.
Agents
Hong Kong, Bank Building Telephone 28021.

DUE TO-DAY

Ivaran, Norwegian, 2,974 registered tons, Capt. Helding, from Manila, p.m. at buoy No. A8.—Gilman & Co. (Tel. 30966).

Cremer, Dutch, 2,770 registered tons, Capt. Ahlers, from Straits, 7 a.m. at buoy No. A14.—J.C.J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Ninghai, British, 1,482 registered tons, Capt. W. Paul, from Tientsin and Swatow, a.m. at buoy No. B?.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Bhutan, British, 2,912 registered tons, Capt. F. McEven, from Europe and Straits, 6 p.m. at K'loon Wharf.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Tancred, Norwegian, from New York and Manila, 9 a.m. at buoy No. A16. — Dodwell & Co. (Tel. 28021).

Franken, German, 4,821 registered tons, Capt. R. Preiss, from Japan and S'hai, a.m. at K'loon Wharf.—Melchers & Co. (Tel. 27772).

DUE TO-MORROW

Scharnhorst, German, 10,712 regd. tons, Capt. J. Angels, from Europe and Manila, a.m. at K'loon Wharf. — Melchers & Co. (Tel. 27772).

Emp. of Asia, British, 8,883 registered tons, Capt. G. Goold, from Vancouver, Japan and S'hai, a.m. at K'loon Wharf.—C.P.S. (Tel. 20752).

Kiangsu, British, 1,555 registered tons, Capt. R. Allinson, from Haiphing, Pakhoi and K. C. Wan, a.m. at buoy No. B?.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Pres. Pierce, American, 7,967 registered tons, Capt. C. Jokstad, from Manila, a.m. at K'loon Wharf —A.P.L. (Tel. 28171).

Canton, French, 976 registered tons, Capt. Charlot, from Haiphong, a.m. at buoy No. B?.—M.M. (Tel. 26651).

Shun Chih, British, 1,173 registered tons, Capt. W. Lee, from Saigon, a.m. at buoy No. B?.—Wo Fat Sing. (Tel. 20005).

Tak Sang, British, 1,948 registered tons, Capt. Bidwell, from S'hai and Swatow, a.m. at West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co. (Tel 30311).

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The R.M.S. Emp. of Asia arrived at Shanghai on May 14 (Sun.) 10 a.m. and leaves Shanghai on May 15 (Mon.) 5 a.m., she is due at Hongkong on May 17 (Wed.) 9 a.m. and leaves Hongkong (for Manila) on May 18 (Thu.) 5 p.m.

* * *

The R.M.S. Emp. of Japan arrived at Shanghai on May 14 (Sun.) 9.30 a.m. and left Shanghai on the same day 5 p.m., is due at Kobe on May 16 (Tue.) 3 p.m. and leaves Kobe on May 17 (Wed.) 4 p.m., she leaves Yokohama (for Honolulu, Victoria and Vancouver) on May 18 (Thu.) mid-night.

* * *

The B.I. steamer Talma will leave for Singapore, Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon and Calcutta on or about Saturday, May 20 at 10.30 a.m.

* * *

The B.I. & Apcar steamer Talma left Kobe for this port on May 13, p.m. and is due here on May 18, p.m.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Hai Tan, British, 2,225 registered tons, Capt. E. Walker, from Swatow, at Douglas Wharf. — Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

Changon, British, 2,235 registered tons, Capt. L. N. Beer, from K. C. Wan, at C. M. S. N. Wharf. —Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).

Menestheus, British, 4,646 registered tons, Capt. J. H. Bluth, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A2.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Dahpu, Norwegian, 1,146 registered tons, Capt. Sveen, from S'hai and Swatow, at buoy No. B9. J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Hiram, Norwegian, 1,108 registered tons, Capt. T. Olsen, from Bangkok, at buoy No. C1.—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

Granville, Norwegian, 3,507 registered tons, Capt. Hassel, from Manila, at buoy No. A4. — Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).

Yolande Bertin, French, 2,839 regd. tons, Capt. S. Ulvik, from Port Parseval, at K'loon Bay.—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Gunda, Norwegian, 1,328 registered tons, Capt. O. Pedersen, from Hongay, at Taikoo Sugar R. Wharf.—K. Larssen & Co. (Tel. 20998).

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Shum Shui Po—Foch
Yaumati—Cape St. Francis
Kowloon Wharf—Laura Maersk
C.M.S.N. Wharf—Changon
Taikoo Sugar R. Wharf—Gunda
Douglas Wharf—Hai Tan
Kowloon Bay—Yolande Bertin

DOCKS

Taikoo—Newchwan and Albert
Sarraut
Kowloon—Tonjer, Fernbrook

BUOYS

No. A 2—Menestheus
No. A 3—Tjibadak
No. A 4—Granville
No. A 9—Hong Peng
No. A10—Talthybius
No. A13—Artemisia
No. B 2—E Sang
No. B 3—Hoihow
No. B 6—Breiviken
No. B 8—Kwai Sang
No. B 9—Dahpu
No. B14—Kaying
No. B15—Kalgan
No. B16—Hannah Moller
No. B21—Tsinan
No. B26—Hatterlock
No. B28—Miramar
No. C 1—Hiram

SAILING TO-DAY

Laura Maersk, Danish, 3,876 registered tons, Capt. Mikkelsen, from K'loon Wharf, for Manila & Iloilo, a.m.—Jebsen & Co. (Tel. 31205).

Kaying, British, 1,572 registered tons, Capt. Thomas, from buoy No. B14, for K. C. Wan, Pakhoi & Haiphong, 4 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tjibadak, Dutch, 4,801 registered tons, Capt. J. Graaff, from buoy No. A4, for Batavia and Java 10 a.m.—J.C.J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Hong Peng, British, 2,525 registered tons, Capt. J. B. Crawley, from buoy No. A9 for Swatow and Amoy, a.m.—Ho Hong & Co. (Tel. 26127).

SAILING TO-MORROW

Menestheus, British, 4,646 registered tons Capt. J. H. Bluth, from buoy No. A2, for Straits, Mars., C'blanca, London, R'dam, Hamburg and Glasgow, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Changon, British, 2,235 registered tons, Capt. L. N. Beer, from buoy No. B?, for K. C. Wan, p.m. —Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).

Tancred, Norwegian, from buoy No. A16, for S'hai, Japan & U.S.A. a.m. — Dodwell & Co. (Tel. 28021).

Ivaran, Norwegian, 2,974 registered tons, Capt. Helding, from buoy No. A8, for Los Angeles, New York, Boston via Panama, p.m.—Gilman & Co. (Tel. 30966).

Bhutan, British, 2,912 registered tons, Capt. B. Preiss, from K'loon Wharf, for S'hai & Japan, p.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Franken, German, 4,821 registered tons, Capt. R. Preiss, from K'loon Wharf. — Melchers & Co. (Tel. 27772).

Hoihow, British, 1,629 registered tons, Capt. John McLaren, from buoy No. B3, for Swatow, S'hai, T'tao, W.H.W., Chefoo and T'tsin, 4 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tsinan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Capt. J. K. Clark, from buoy No. B21, for Amoy and S'hai, 5 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Kwai Sang, British, 1,435 registered tons, Capt. F. Webster, from buoy No. B8, for Swatow, S'hai and T'tsin, 2 p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

E Sang, British, 2,055 registered tons, Capt. S. Schofield, from buoy No. B?, for Haiphong, 4 p.m.—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Hai Tan, British, 2,225 registered tons, Capt. E. Walker, from Douglas Wharf, for Swatow, Amoy Chuanchow and Foochow, 4 p.m. —Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

SAILED YESTERDAY

Tai Ping for Manila

BANK LINE (CHINA) LTD.

AGENTS FOR
ELLERMAN AND BUCKNALL S.S. CO., LTD.
UNITED KINGDOM & CONTINENT ..... ELLERMAN LINE
S.S. "CITY OF PITTSBURG" Havre, London, R'dam., H'burg & Glasgow ... 13th June
S.S. "CITY OF DERBY" Havre, London, R'dam. & H'burg ... ... 14th July

AGENTS FOR
THE BANK LINE, LTD.
MAURITIUS & SOUTH AFRICA ..... ORIENTAL AFRICAN LINE
S.S. "TINHOW" ... ... from Hong Kong ... ... 21th June
Loading for Mauritius Reunion, Tamatave Lourenco Marques, Durban and Cape Ports.
EAST & SOUTH AFRICA... LUXURIOUS PASSENGER VESSELS... ... INDIAN AFRICAN LINE
M.V. "INCOMATI" ... ... from Calcutta 4th June; ... from Colombo 11th June
M.V. "ISIPINGO" ... ... from Calcutta 4th July; ... from Colombo 11th July
M.V. "INCHANGA" ... ... from Calcutta 4th Aug.; ... from Colombo 11th Aug.
Taking PASSENGERS and CARGO for Mombasa, Zanzibar, Beira, Lourenco Marques Durban, East London, Port Elizabeth, Mossel Bay and Cape Town.

AGENTS FOR
KLAVENESS LINE
(PACIFIC COAST—ASIATIC SERVICE)
HONGKONG DIRECT TO LOS ANGELES (in 21 Days)
SAN FRANCISCO, PORTLAND, ORE., TACOMA & SEATTLE.
M.V. "ROSEVILLE" ... ... 26th May
M.V. "GRANVILLE" ... ... 26th June
Issuing through Bs/Lading to CITIES & ATLANTIC COAST with transhipment at LOS ANGELES by first opportunity.
ALL SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION WITHOUT NOTICE.
For Freight or Passage on any of the above lines apply:—
Telephone 27791 THE BANK LINE (CHINA), LTD.

P&O: BRITISH INDIA (APCAR) AND EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN LINES

MAIL AND PASSENGER STEAMERS
TAKING CARGO FOR
Straits, Java, Burma, Ceylon, India, Iranian Gulf, Mauritius, East and South Africa. | Australia, Red Sea, Egypt, Europe.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL FORTNIGHTLY DIRECT ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS
under contract with H.M. Government

All vessels may call at any ports on or off the route,—and the route and all sailings are subject to change or deviation with or without notice.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL SAILINGS

Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (About)	Destination
†*BANGALORE	6,000	20th May	B'bay, Mars., Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg., R'dam. & Antwerp.
§RAJPUTANA	17,000	27th May	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
§RANCHI	17,000	10th June	do.
†*BHUTAN	6,000	17th June	B'bay, Mars. Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg. R'dam. & A'werp.
RANPURA	17,000	24th June	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
†*BEHAR	6,000	1st July	B'bay., Marseilles, Havre, L'don., Hull, H'burg., R'dam. & A'werp
§RAWALPINDI	17,700	8th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London
§CHITRAL	15,000	22nd July	do.
§CORFU	14,500	5th Aug.	do.
§CANTON	15,500	19th Aug.	do.
§ABDIEL	14,500	2nd Sept.	do.
§RAJPUTANA	17,000	16th Sept.	do.
RANCHI	17,000	30th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
§RANPURA	17,000	14th Oct.	Marseilles and London.

* Cargo only. † Calls Casablanca § Calls Tangier
All vessels may call at Malta.

BRITISH INDIA - APCAR SAILINGS

TALMA	10,000	20th May	Singapore, Port Swettenham Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta.
SIRDHANA	10,000	3rd June	
SHIRALA	8,000	17th June	
TILAWA	10,000	1st July	
SANTHIA	8,000	15th July	

Now is the time to visit Australia & New Zealand

. . lands of Sunshine and Romance. "Down Under" you will feel a new being and even if you are not inclined towards Surfing, Fishing, Shooting or Mountaineering you will find that the Antipodes have plenty to offer you.—including 25/- for your pound.

On the way down your life aboard will be as you wish, quiet or hectic for the E. & A. will humour your every whim

And by the way, there is no additional charge for Deck Cabins and there is of course a Sun Deck Swimming pool, an Orchestra and a fine Laundry.

A Surgeon and Stewardess are at your disposal and last but not least—we had almost forgotten—the cuisine will set you listening eagerly for the Gong.

Regular monthly sailings from Hong Kong to Shanghai and Japan and Hong Kong to Australia.

Hong Kong to Sydney—19 days.

Frequent connections from Australia with the following:—

The Canadian Australasian Line Steamers to the United Kingdom via New Zealand, Vancouver, etc.

The P. & O. Royal Mail Steamers to London and

The New Zealand Shipping Co.'s Steamers for London via Panama Canal.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS

TANDA	7,000	3rd June	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
NANKIN	7,000	30th June	
NELLORE	7,000	4th Aug.	

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

*BHUTAN	6,000	17th May	Shanghai & Japan
SHIRALA	8,000	25th May	Japan
RANPURA	17,000	25th May	Shanghai & Japan
*BEHAR	6,000	26th May	Shanghai & Japan
NANKIN	7,000	5th June	
RAWALPINDI	17,000	8th June	do.
*SOUDAN	7,000	8th June	do.
TILAWA	10,000	8th June	Japan
CHITRAL	15,000	22nd June	Shanghai & Japan
CORFU	14,500	6th July	Shanghai & Japan
TALMA	10,000	6th July	Japan
BURDWAN	6,000	7th July	Shanghai & Japan

* Cargo only.

ALL DATES are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.

For further information, Passage, Freight, Handbooks, etc., apply to the Agents:—

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO
P & O BUILDING, CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG
PHONE 27721.

Buying? OR Selling?

EARNEST BUYERS OR SELLERS WHO MEAN BUSINESS ARE PEOPLE WHO TURN TO THE HONGKONG DAILY PRESS WANTADS FOR QUICK RESULTS.

USE AND READ
HONGKONG DAILY PRESS
"WANT" ADVERTISEMENTS.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMERS
JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD. & THE CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

TRAVEL
THE
SHORT
SAFE
SEA
WAY
by the
British Line

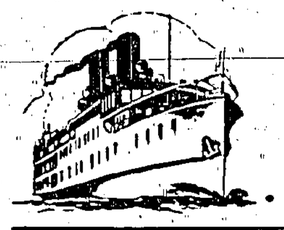
CANTON LINE

The next prospective sailing of the s.s. "Fatshan" from Hongkong will be on the 23rd May, 1939, at 8 a.m., and from Canton on the 25th May, 1939, a 9 a.m.

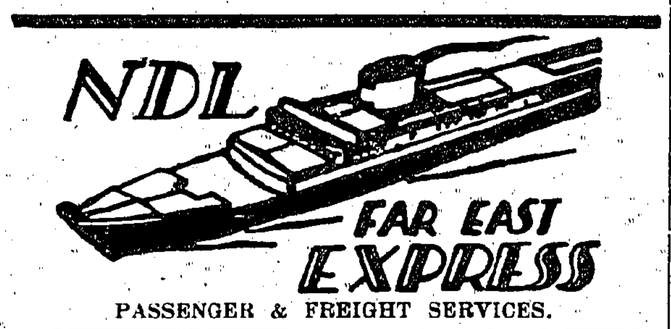
MACAO LINE

DAILY SERVICE

From Hong Kong: 8 A.M. & 5.30 P.M.
(Sunday) 9.30 A.M. & 5.30 P.M.
From Macao: 3 A.M. & 3.00 P.M.
(Sunday) 3 A.M. & 5.00 P.M.



Note:—All vessels equipped with Wireless.
QUEEN'S BUILDING, CONNAUGHT ROAD
Telephone 20101 APE



PASSENGER & FREIGHT SERVICES.

From Hong Kong to	Vessels	Ports	Date
Europe	Franken	Marseilles, Oran, Antwerp, Rotttrdam, Hamburg, Bremen	May 17
	Scharnhorst	Genoa, Barcelona, Southampton, R'dam., Bremen, Hamburg	June 1
Straits & Ceylon	Franken	Singapore	May 17
	Scharnhorst	Singapore, Penang, Belawan, Colombo	June 1
Manila	Scharnhorst	Manila	June 1
Shanghai & Japan	Scharnhorst	Shanghai, Yokohama and Kobe	May 17
Shanghai, North China & Japan	Neckar	Shanghai, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Taku	May 28
South Sea Islands	Friderun	Madang, Salamaua, Tulagi, Rabaul, etc.	June 26

ROUND—THE—WORLD & THROUGH TICKETS
issued in connection with:
N.D.L. ATLANTIC EXPRESS SERVICE
S.S. "BREMEN," "EUROPA," "COLUMBUS," & CABIN LINERS
NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD BREMEN
Queen's Bldg. MELCHERS & CO., Agents. Tel. 27771/4.
CANTON AGENTS: JEBSEN & CO., SHAMEEN, B.C.

LONDON SERVICE
"MENESTHEUS" Sails 17 MAY, for Mars., C'blanca., London, R'dam., Hamburg & Glasgow
"AENEAS" Sails 30 MAY., for Mars., London, Rotterdam & Glasgow

LIVERPOOL SERVICE
"BELLEROPHON" Sails 21 JUNE, for Havre, Liverpool, & Bromborough

NEW YORK SERVICE
"GLAUCUS" Sails 4 AUG., for Halifax, Boston & New York.

PACIFIC SERVICE (via DAIREN, KOBE, NAGOYA & YOKOHAMA)
"TALTHYBIUS" Sails 18 MAY, for Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle

INWARD SERVICE

	Due
"DARDANUS"	18 MAY, From New York via Panama
"ACHILLES"	20 MAY, From U.K. via the Straits
"SARPEDON"	21 MAY, From U.K. via the Straits
"ANTILOCHUS"	24 MAY, From Continental Ports via the Straits
"LYCAON"	3 JUNE, From U.K. via the Straits

Specially reduced fares are quoted for cargo steamers with limited passenger accommodation

For freight, passage rates and information apply to
Butterfield & Swire,
Tel. 30333. Agents. 1, Connaught Road, C.

Picture above shows the fully-equipped, 16-stretcher ambulance presented by the Hongkong Chinese Women's Club to the National Red Cross Society of China. Full story of Page 7.

"SURGICAL OPERATION" IN S'HAI

JAPANESE THREAT

TENSION IN SETTLEMENT

TOKYO, May 15 (Reuter)—"With Britain and the United States assuming an obstinate attitude," Mr. Arita, the Japanese Foreign Minister, has made a final decision to take fundamental strong measures for a solution of the issue involving the International Settlement in Shanghai, declares the "Yomiuri Shimbun."

In this connexion the newspaper asserts that Mr. Arita and Mr. Miura, the Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai, who is now here for consultations, will hold an important conference this afternoon.

In an editorial, the "Yomiuri Shimbun" declares: "The Japanese Government now holds the conclusive view that no half-hearted measures will solve the International Settlement issue and feels the necessity for carrying out a surgical operation."

MORE SERIOUS STAGE?

CHUNGKING, May 15 (Central)—Whether the current situation in the International Settlement of Shanghai will enter a more serious stage will depend on the outcome of the return to Japan of the Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai, Mr. Y. Miura, according to a Shanghai report quoting reliable quarters, who believe that the Japanese Consul-General's home trip is connected with the Settlement issue.

Closer co-operation between the Settlement and French Concession authorities has now been carried out since the kidnapping by the Japanese of five Chinese in a restaurant a few days ago.

The police of the two foreign-administered areas have tightened their search on pedestrians and vehicles in order to insure peace and order.

TENSION PREVAILING

The Shanghai Volunteer Corps is co-operating with the British and American defence forces to maintain peace in the International Settlement.

According to a Chinese member on the Shanghai Municipal Council, the situation in the Settlement has not yet reached a serious stage although tension is prevailing. He revealed that the Ratepayers' Association will ask the Council to lodge a protest with the Japanese in connection with the kidnapping of the five Chinese and to demand the guarantee of their safety.

FRANCO'S VICTORY PARADE

160,000 TROOPS: BIGGEST MILITARY SHOW IN SPAIN

LONDON, MAY 15 (REUTER)—THE "DAILY TELEGRAPH'S" MADRID CORRESPONDENT, STATES THAT THOUSANDS of Spanish, German and Italian troops are being concentrated in or near Madrid for Gen. Franco's Victory Parade, which has been provisionally fixed for Friday.

The Parade will be the biggest military show Spain has ever seen and it is estimated that Gen. Franco will take the salute from about 160,000 troops, including some 10,000 Italians, under Gen. Gambara, about 4,500 Germans, led by Col. von Richthofen.

A few days after the Parade the German and Italian units will leave Spain. The Germans will leave from Vigo on May 22, according to present plans, and the Italians will sail from Cadiz and Alicante.

HUAHSING BANK OPENS TO-DAY

SHANGHAI, May 15 (Reuter)—Replying to questions at the press conference this evening, a Japanese Embassy spokesman said that the Huahsing Commercial Bank will be opened for business tomorrow (Tuesday).

The Bank, which was formed on May 1, was expected to open for business on May 10 but failed to do so. It was then stated that the Bank may open on May 17 and the note issue had not yet begun.

ADVERTISED SAILING FROM H.K.

(Continued from Page 14)

London
Menestheus, B. & S., May 17.
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 27.
Aeneas, B. & S., May 30.
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., June 3.
Glenshiel/Jardine's, June 7.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 10.
Agamemnon, B. & S., June 14.

Malta
Rajputana, P. & O., May 27.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 10.

Marseilles
Franken, Melchers, May 17.
Menestheus, B. & S., May 17.
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, May 25.
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 27.
Aeneas, B. & S., May 30.
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., June 3.
Aramis, Messageries, June 8.
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 10.
Agamemnon, B. & S., June 14.

Naples
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Giulio Cesare, L. Triestino, May 20.
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26.
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., June 3.
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.

Oran
Franken, Melchers, May 17.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Oslo
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Penang
Menestheus, B. & S., May 17.
Titania, Thoresen's, May 19.
Terukuni Maru, N. Y. K., May 19.
Talma, B. I. (Apcar), May 20.
Bangalore, P. & O., May 20.
Kumsang, Jardine's, May 22.
Cremer, J. C. J. Line, May 25.
Pres. Hayes, A. P. Lines, May 26.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 27.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, May 28.
Aeneas, B. & S., May 30.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, June 1.
Hakusan Maru, N. Y. K., June 3.
Sirdhana, B. I. (Apcar), June, 3.
Glenshiel Jardine's, June 7.
Pres. Polk, A. P. Lines, June, 9.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 10.

HOME CRICKET: RAIN STOPS PLAY

LONDON, May 15, (Reuter)—Cricket lunch scores are as follow:—

Cambridge 73 for 1 v. Middlesex; Derby v. Surrey, no play; Glamorgan 14 for 0 v. Nottinghamshire, rain stopped play; Gloucester v. Worcester 77 for 6; Hampshire 226 for 6 v. Warwickshire; Lancashire v. Somerset, no play; Leicester v. Sussex 293 for 7; M.C.C. v. West Indies, no play; Yorkshire v. Kent, no play.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

NEW YORK, May 15 (Reuter)—The following were the results of matches played in the Major Baseball League yesterday:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	11	0
New York	2	9	1
(Ten innings were played).			
Brooklyn	0	4	1
Boston	1	7	2
(Fette pitched for the Braves).			
St. Louis	9	10	1
Cincinnati	5	7	4
(Lombardi and Craft homered for the Reds).			
Chicago	2	11	0
Pittsburgh	5	8	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	10	9	0
Philadelphia	0	4	2
(Dahlgren homered for the Yankees).			
Boston	5	13	3
Washington	4	9	2
Cleveland	9	13	0
Chicago	4	6	1
(Chapman homered twice and Keltner once for the Indians).			
Detroit	14	15	0
St. Louis	4	7	4
(Greenberg homered twice and McBain once for the Tigers).			
Detroit	7	9	0
St. Louis	4	11	0

LAWN TENNIS INTERNATIONAL

PARIS, May 15 (Reuter)—France beat Britain by 12 games to 9 in the annual lawn tennis encounter for international clubs of the two countries.

A warning to keep a sharp lookout for floating mines near Foochow, especially in the vicinity of Sharp Peak and the approaches to the Min River, has been issued by the authorities.

His Excellency the Governor presenting his prize to the winner, P.O. Swan, at Kowloon City Ranges on Sunday afternoon when the "Bisley" meeting of the Hongkong Rifle Association concluded. Major G. F. Murray, honorary secretary of the H.R. Association, is also seen above.

FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, 16th MAY, 1939, 9.30 A.M.

Registered and Ordinary mail & Parcels (not Insured) will be accepted for Canton and despatched as circumstances permit.

Letters and Postcards for Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Straits	Bhutan	16th May
Straits	Cremer	16th May
Manila	Ivaran	16th May
Shanghai and Swatow	Suiyang	17th May
Haiphong	Canton	17th May
Manila	Pres. Pierce	17th May
Haiphong, Pakhoi and Fort Bayard	Kiangsu	17th May
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C. date, 29th April)	Emp. of Asia	17th May
Manila	Scharnhorst	17th May
Straits	Achilles	17th May
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 13th May.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	
Shanghai and Swatow	Szechuen	18th May
Calcutta and Straits	Hosang	18th May
Tientsin and Swatow	Yochow	18th May
Tientsin and Swatow	Ninghai	18th May
Manila	Dardanus	18th May
Japan	Talma	18th May
Japan and Shanghai	Terukuni Maru	18th May
Australia and Manila	Atuta Maru	18th May
Shanghai	Bangalore	19th May
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 11th May.	**Pan American Airways plane**	
Shanghai and Swatow	Shantung	20th May
Straits and Manila	Victoria	20th May
Japan	La Plata Maru	21st May
Shanghai and Amoy	Tjisadane	21st May
Straits	Sarpedon	21st May
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 17th May.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	
Saigon	Laos	22nd May
Straits	Katori Maru	22nd May
Calcutta and Straits	Shirala	23rd May
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco date, 27th Apr.).	Kamakura Maru	23rd May
Straits	Ruys	24th May
Manila	Nosiro Maru	24th May
Saigon	Aramis	24th May
Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Doumer	25th May
Japan	Kamo Maru	26th May

OUTWARD MAILS

REGISTERED AND PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time
TUESDAY		**Tue. 16th.**
Batavia and Sourabaya	Tjibadak	10.30 AM
Swatow and Foochow	Hong Peng	1.30 PM
Port Bayard and Pakhoi	Kaying	2.00 PM
Parcels only for Straits, Penang, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt Marseilles and London—due London, 22nd June.	Menestheus	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Parcels 5.00 PM
Shanghai	Tancred	7.00 PM
WEDNESDAY		**Wed. 17th.**
Swatow	Kwaisang	12.30 PM
Haiphong	Esang	2.00 PM
Shanghai	Scharnhorst	2.30 PM
Swatow, Chuanchow and Foochow	Haitan	3.00 PM
Amoy	Tsinan	3.30 PM
THURSDAY		**Thu. 18th.**
Dairen	Talthybius	9.30 AM
Manila	Emp. of Asia	3.20 PM
Air Mail for "K. L. M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam. 1st June.		G.P.O. & K.P.O.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East Africa, Aden, Egypt, and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 14th June.	Terukuni Maru	Reg. 3.30 PM Ord. 4.00 PM
Japan	Terukuni Maru	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 3.45 PM Ord. 4.30 PM
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A. Central and South America via San Francisco, and (Papers only for Canada)—due San Francisco, 8th June—and Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) via Siberia	Atuta Maru	4.30 PM
	Pres. Pierce	K.P.O. Parcels 4.00 PM Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM G.P.O. Parcels 4.00 PM Reg 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Airmail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London 25th May.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by Imperial Airways Direct Service due Sydney 28th May.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
FRIDAY		**Fri. 19th.**
Foochow	Newchwang	10.30 AM
Swatow	Dahpu	12.30 PM
Air Mail for Indo-China, Iran, and France (Paris and Northern Provinces only) by the "Air France Airways Direct Service"	**Air France Plane**	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Japan	Hosang	7.00 PM
SATURDAY		**Sat. 20th.**
Shanghai	Victoria	8.30 AM
Haiphong	Canton	2.00 PM
Amoy	Cremer	3.30 PM
Haiphong	Taksang	4.30 PM
Parcels and Papers only for South Africa via Durban	La Plata Maru	5.00 PM

Printed and Published by Henry ndon Office: 52 Fleet Street, E.C.4 Daily Press, Ltd., at Marina Lloyd Murrow, for the Hongkong Road Central, Hongkong. LoHouse, third floor, 18-19, Queen's